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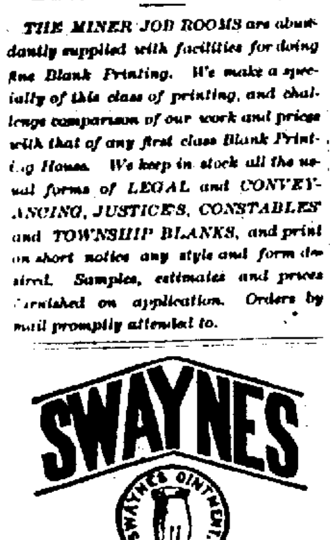

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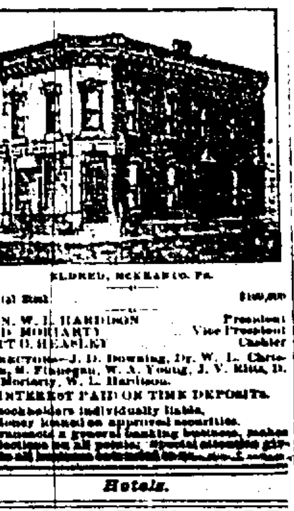

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YEARS AFTER.

I know the years have rolled across thy grave
Till it has grown a plot of level grass—
All summer does its green luxuriance wave
In silken shimmer on thy breast, alas!
And all the winter it is lost to sight
Beneath a winding-sheet of chilly white.

I know the precious name I loved so much
Is heard no more the haunts of men among;
The tree thou plantedst hast outgrown thy touch,
And sings to alien ears its murmuring song;
The lattice-rose forgets thy tendance sweet,
The air thy laughter, and the sod thy feet.

Through the dear wood where grew thy violets
Lies the worn track of travel, toil and trade,
And steam's imprisoned demon fumes and frets,
With shrieks that scare the wild bird from the shade.
Mills vex the lazy stream, and on its shore
The timid harebell swings its chimes no more.

But yet—even yet—if I, grown changed and old,
Should lift my eyes at opening of the door,
And see again thy fair head's waving gold,
And meet thy dear eyes' tender smile once more,
These years of parting like a breath would seem,
And I [illegible]
—ELIZABETH AKERS.

MISCELLANEOUS.

A REDUCTION OF SALARY.

It was a sunshiny day, with an immense bee booming among the lilacs and peonies in the school-garden, an intense glow of golden light on the grass, and a dreamy languor in the air that made Alice Hopkins sleepy in spite of herself as she sat with the little children's copy books in a pile before her, inscribing the month's marks upon their covers, according to their respective merits.

Alice was scarcely more than a child herself. Barely nineteen, with a slight, young figure, a color that came and went at the slightest variation of her pulse, and pleading hazel eyes, it was the hardest work in the world to assume the dignity that was necessary for her position as assistant teacher.

'I never saw such babyishness in my life!' said Miss Negley, the principal, 'and I shall not put up with it, Miss Hopkins—don't you think it? Dignity, in the educational line, is everything. And I do not call it fitting to the position of assistant principal to be racing around with the children in their noonday games, and dressing a corncob doll on the sly for little Priscilla Jones, to say nothing about bursting out crying, like a great baby, when Billy Smith killed the robin redbreast with a stone. Dignity, Miss Hopkins—dignity should ever be the watchword of our profession.'

Miss Negley was tall and grim, with heavy black hair, a sallow complexion, several missing front teeth, and something very like a moustache.

Alice Hopkins cowered before her severe glance.

'I'm very sorry!' faltered she. 'I'll try to be good!'

'More like a child than ever!' said Miss Negley, despairingly.

'I—I mean,' Alice hastened to correct herself—'I will endeavor to set a guard upon my rash impulses.'

'That sounds more like it!' said Miss Negley, 'And now, Alice, see here! I expect some of the school-trustees here to-morrow.'

'Oh, dear!' said Alice, remembering the signal failure of her class upon a similar occasion, not so very long ago. 'It isn't another examination, I hope?'

'Worse than that,' said Miss Negley—'far worse.'

Alice lifted her eyes in amazement. What could possibly be worse than Fanny Dow spelling cat with a *k*, and Lucy Mailey asserting that Baltimore was situated on the left bank of the River Nile.

'There is a proposition on foot to reduce our salaries,' said Miss Negley. Actually, to reduce our salaries!'

'Oh,' said Alice. 'But mine is very small already. Only one hundred dollars a year. I don't think they can reduce it much.'

'They can reduce it to fifty, can't they?' said Miss Negley, shortly.

'In that case,' ventured Alice, 'I could go and be a shop girl in my uncle's store in the city. One must live!'

'You've no proper pride,' said Miss Negley. 'A shop-girl, indeed! But I don't intend that they shall carry out their nefarious plans. If—My good gracious me! there comes Mr. Barthorne now, jogging along on his old gray horse just as composed as if he wasn't bent on an errand of evil. They do say that old Barthorne is the head and front of the whole business. I'll show him! A reduction of salaries, indeed! I dare say he means to wheedle a consent out of us beforehand, so that everything shall seem smooth to-morrow when the committee meets. But he'll find that he has mistaken his customer this time!'

Little Alice began to tremble all over, and to grow pink and white by turns, after her usual fashion, when she was disturbed.

'I—I am so frightened!' hesitated she. 'Please, may I go home?'

'Yes, you little coward,' impatiently responded Miss Negley; 'that is, if you haven't the courage to stand up for yourself and your rights.'

'But Mr. Barthorne has always been so kind to me,' faltered Alice Hopkins, 'and if he should tell me that it was best, I almost know that I should consent to having my salary reduced. You know, dear Negley, that if it hadn't been for him, I never should have received the appointment at all.'

'I don't wonder,' said Miss Negley, apostrophizing the ceiling, 'that they are not willing to show women the privilege of suffrage in this benighted country. And you, Alice Hopkins, you may go home! You certainly will be of no use at all to me in fighting this battle.'

And Alice, heartily thankful for this grudgingly-accorded reprieve, put the copy-books into the desk-drawer, piled up the dictionary and definer, caught her little, pink, lawn sun-bonnet from its nail, and vanished like a flying shadow into the nearest patch of cedar woods.

Miss Negley sat very upright, with folded arms and prominent elbows, her nose slightly tinctured with the rosy hue of coming battle, her lips compressed; while Mr. Barthorne, a pleasant-faced gentleman of five-and-forty or thereabouts, trotted up to the school-house door, leisurely dismounted, tied his horse to the hitching-post, and, totally unconscious that he was observed, alike by Miss Negley from her post [illegible] on the school-room dais, and little Alice Hopkins [illegible] thick, dark locks before he rapped on the door.

'I'm glad I'm not there,' said Alice Hopkins, with a long sigh of relief.

And then, having cooled her face and hands in the transparent spring, she sat down to think.

To her, a reduction of her scanty salary meant nothing less than starvation. As things were, she could scarcely pay her board and other expenses.

And sitting there in the shifting shadows of the wind-blown branches, she cried a little, to think how solitary and friendless she was in the world.

Miss Negley, however, was in a different mood.

'Come in!' she answered, rather brusquely, to the knock at the door, without taking the trouble to move from her seat.

And when Mr. Barthorne entered, he espied her sitting stiff, silent, straight and composed.

'Good-afternoon, Miss Negley!' said the trustee, depositing his hat on the nearest desk and venturing on an apologetic bow.

'Good-afternoon, Mr. Barthorne!' Miss Negley [illegible] about as much warmth as an icicle in her address.

'I hope I do not intrude,' said the trustee, civilly.

Oh, not at all, Mr. Barthorne!' replied Miss Negley.

'A—hem!' said the trustee, becoming evidently, ill at ease. 'Ain't easy to broach the business I've come on, Miss Negley.'

'No, I should think not really,' said the lady.

'I called at this hour, when I expected to find you alone—'

'Oh, yes, I haven't any doubt that you did!' Miss Negley interrupted him, in accents of fine sarcasm. 'Even you, Squire Barthorne, would be ashamed to hint of such a thing before the poor, dear children.'

'Eh?' said Mr. Barthorne, instinctively retreating a pace or two, for there was something pythoness-like in Miss Negley's attitude, as she arose and darted her head forward at him, to emphasize her words.

'I know what you are going to say,' said Miss Negley; 'and I won't listen to a word of it—not one word! No one but a set of narrow-minded misers could have thought of it. I'll leave Wyndale school first!'

'Well, well, no harm done,' said Mr. Barthorne, clutching his hat. 'If I'd have known that you'd taken things as hard as this—'

'How did you suppose I was going to take 'em?' said Miss Negley, with a scorn. 'Did you mistake me for the dust under your feet?'

'I assure you, ma'am, that nothing of the sort was in my mind,' humbly uttered Mr. Barthorne. 'I wish you good afternoon!'

He hurried out, remounted his gray steed, which, poor beast, was just composing itself for a comfortable doze in the sunshine, and rode off, making, to Alice Hopkins' intense dismay, straight for the shady cedar-woods where she still sat arranging ferns around the ribbon of her hat.

'No use of trying to run away,' thought she. 'I may as well stay where I am. And after all, why should I be afraid of Mr. Barthorne?'

Mr. Barthorne checked his rein as he saw the pretty young school-teacher there under the cedar. He nodded pleasantly.

'Fine day, Miss Alice!' said he, wiping his brow with the identical yellow-silk pocket-handkerchief which had but now served as a duster for his boots.

'Yes, indeed,' said Alice, standing like some fair woodnymph, beside the spring. 'Please, Mr. Barthorne, what did she say?'

'What did you say, Miss Alice?' said the middle-aged gentleman, turning scarlet.

'Miss Negley. Don't think me intrusive,' she added; 'but I know all about it.'

'The deuce you do!' said Mr. Barthorne. 'Why, she wouldn't let me get in a word edgewise—that's what she said. Perhaps however, I've had a lucky escape.'

'And must own that it is hard,' said Alice, earnestly.

'Hard?' echoed Mr. Barthorne. 'I should have supposed it would have suited her exactly! But,' a new idea bursting athwart his brain, 'there's as good fish in the sea as ever were caught out of it! Miss Alice, what would you say if I were to now ask you to be my wife?'

Alice Hopkins looked at him in amazement.

'What would I say, Mr. Barthorne?' she exclaimed.

'You are young enough to be my daughter, sure enough,' said the wealthy man, not without some bitterness. 'But I'm not so very old, either, and I have a good home to offer any woman who will take pity upon my loneliness and—'

'Loneliness?'

Alice looked at Mr. Barthorne in surprise. It had never occured to her little, innocent heart that Mr. Barthorne, in the big white house, with the pair of horses and the close carriage, could ever be lonely. And perhaps there was something in the dewy brightness of her eyes as she raised them to Mr. Barthorne's face, to embolden him to plead his cause with more energy.

'I should love you dearly, Alice,' he said with a tremble in his voice. 'I would be very kind to you. Won't you answer me Alice?'

Her head drooped: there was an instant of silence, and then she said, in a low tone:

'Yes—Mr. Barthorne: I will marry you.'

Mr. Barthorne bent and kissed her forehead.

'You'll not regret it, my lass,' said he. 'And you're the very girl I would have picked out among a thousand. I'm glad now, that Miss Negley wouldn't listen to me.'

Alice started.

'Oh, Mr. Barthorne,' said she, 'was that your errand?'

'Of course it was,' said Barthorne. Doctor Smiley said she was the very woman I needed to regulate my household. But the moment I hinted at the subject, she as good as ordered me off the premises. Not that I'm sorry for it. She has a face like a [illegible], and a figure like a grenadier!'

Alice looks out laughingly [illegible]

Miss Negley battled with the committee next day, but in vain. The ruthless trustees reduced her salary one-half, and when it transpired, in some unaccountable way, that she had actually refused Mr. Barthorne (without being asked) she felt that life was indeed a failure. And the arrival of Alice Hopkins' wedding cards did not better matters.

'Oh, dear, oh, dear!' she said, 'I spoke too soon; why didn't I wait to hear what Mr. Barthorne had to say before I answered in such a hurry? My tongue always was my besetting fault!'—*Helen Forrest Graves.*

The Biggest Lie.

They were pleasantly seated in the hotel. Five dollars were raised as a purse to go to the man who could tell the biggest lie.

After a guess at the number of pages in a book to see who should spin the first, the fat man who was seated on the bar was declared to be the best guesser, and began:

"Well," said he, shifting his cigar to the other corner of his mouth and sighing, "once upon a time a wealthy country [illegible]" [illegible] the voices of the entire party as but a single man, "you can have the purse."—*Reynold's Critic.*

A Multiplicity of Guides.

"We hope we don't intrude, but we thought we would come in and ask you if it would be any trouble to let us see the inside of a newspaper office."

The managing editor sprang to his feet, and the law reporter covered his lunch with his hat. The exchange editor poured his ink into his bottle of beer to make it look innocent, and the rest of the staff crowded around the two blushing damsels eager and willing to offer assistance.

"Certainly," replied the managing editor, smoothing down his hair and approaching the fair guests. "This is my room, and there is the peg I hang my hat on. Only the peg seems to have come up through the hat lately. I certainly must have that peg put in repair. This is my—"

"Perhaps the ladies would rather see my editorial on the rise and progress of mission schools," interrupted the religious editor, pointing toward his own desk. "Never been in a newspaper office before?" he inquired, as the two girls turned toward him. "I sit here at this table, and in this drawer is where I keep my—"

"I think I can show you one of the most important legal decisions ever rendered," observed the law reporter, taking one of the girls gently by the arm and making off with her in the direction of his desk. "You know the law has always been—"

"I suppose you really want to see the practical workings of an office," smiled the exchange editor, bowing very low. "If you will step here to my department I will show you on what all the vast machinery of this institution rests," and then the exchange editor very gallantly offered his arm, and motioned toward his den.

"Of course, you would be most interested in the weddings," observed the society reporter, feeling confident that he had the bulge on the whole business. "If you will be kind enough to come this way I will show you my account of a swell affair that came off in grand style on the Heights only last evening. The bride—"

"There is where the local news is put together in shape," chipped in the city editor. Everything that happens in Brooklyn has to pass through my hands, and I will be very glad to show you how it is done, if you will now only be good enough to take chairs in my neat little room."

"Have you come to visit a newspaper establishment?" asked the cashier, who happened at that moment to drop into the editorial department, who wanted to be kind.

"Yes, sir," faltered one of the blushing girls.

"Then come right down stairs and see me make up the list of marriages and deaths. You will be ahead of everybody in town."

"Oh, won't that be nice!" giggled the girls, fluttering out after him. "We will know all about it before the paper comes out."

And then the triumphant cashier stalked out while the staff sat down to get up a remonstrance against that cashier's interference with the regular business of the office in the future.—Brooklyn *Eagle.*

An Original Salutatory.

An Arkansas journalist, in assuming control of the local columns of a weekly paper, paper, says: "The proprietors of the *Skillett* have deemed it advisable for me to lend my influence to this great enterprise. I am an old hand at the business, and come highly recommended, having been run out of the swampland district on account of a delicately expressed sentiment to the effect that the county judge was a thief of no small capacity. So long as the judge of this county remains honest, or rather is not caught stealing anything, I may stay with you, and help you develop the wonderful resources of this section, but just so soon as he is proved to be a thief, I reckon I'll have to slide. I take this method of informing the people that I will preach at the Clay Hill church, rain or shine, on Sunday next."—Arkansas *Traveler.*

A Winning Platform.

There is just one platform on which the Republican party can sweep the country in 1884 and assure its own prolonged ascendency. This is:

First—Protection to American industry and American working men.

Second—Regulation and restraint of corporate power.

Third—Effective control and repression of the destructive liquor traffic.

Fourth—A sincere prosecution of sensible civil service reform.

These four questions, and only these, are uppermost in popular thought from ocean to ocean. The political party which honestly takes an affirmative attitude on each of them will be victorious, the one who assumes a negative or ambiguous or half-hearted position on any of them will deserve and encounter defeat. To change the issue is impossible. To attempt to shirk in the presence of such a debate is cowardice [illegible]—Minneapolis Tribune.

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THE NEW COOK.

A Lesson for Ladies Who Haven't Learned the Culinary Art.

'There is one thing you mustn't forget, Tom.'

'What's that, Emma?'

'Don't forget to go to the registry office and send me up a cook. The new girl is good for nothing, and the old can't do everything. Young or old, man or woman, I don't care, only send me up a competent cook by 10 o'clock this morning.'

'Don't look so desperate, sis; I'll remember it. I want things in pretty good style for Maxwell; he is used to it—is fond of good dinners; I guess I'll send you a good, smart cook, Emma.' Mr. Thomas Maye disappeared with a reassuring nod. He had a proverbially bad memory; pretty Emma Maye knew it very well; yet in this desperate emergency she trusted him.

Just at this juncture Mr. Maye received tidings that his dead wife's favorite brother, Arthur Maxwell, just returned from abroad, would pay him a visit. From the first Emma had been nervous over the responsibility of entertaining this elegant young man, whom she had never seen. She was lovely and accomplished; but she could not cook—in fact she had never tried.

It was 7:30 o'clock when Mr. Maye went to town. He took nothing but a cup of coffee at 7 o'clock, and lunched at his favorite restaurant at 11 o'clock. At 2:30 o'clock the Mayes dined, and Mr. Maxwell was expected by the 2:10 train.

'There!' sighed Emma, when two hours after her brother's departure, the house was in its usual exquisite order, and the viands and flowers sent up for dinner; "if Tom doesn't forget, and if he sends up a good cook, everything will be nice enough.'

She did not dare think of the possibility of Tom's having forgotten, or that of a cook not coming for any other reason; but when, precisely at 10 o'clock, the door-bell rang, a secret weight was lifted from her heart. She ran herself to answer the summons. A medium-sized, well-dressed, modest looking young man stood at the entrance, and she brightened at the sight of him.

'I am very glad you are so punctual; I was afraid I should be disappointed,' she said, leading the way to the kitchen without an instant's delay. 'Let me see—ten o'clock. I shall have to set you at work at once to prepare a first-class dinner. We are expecting company from London, my cook has left me, and I do not myself know anything about cooking. What is your name?' literally bereaving the young man of his hat and hanging it as high out of reach as possible.

His reply was rather faint, but she thought she caught it.

'Mac? You do not look like an Irishman. But it doesn't make any difference. Are you a good cook?'

The smile of the young man was rather puzzling. 'I'll do my best,' he said pleasantly.

'You see there's nothing in the house but cold chicken,' continued Emma, unconsciously wringing her little hands as she continued to address the new cook, who certainly listened very attentively. 'But my brother has sent up some pigeons—to be roasted, I suppose.'

'Yes'm.'

'Can you make a celery salad?'

'I think I can.'

'And Mayonnaise sauce for the cold chicken?'

'Yes'm.'

'Can you make a French soup?'

'I can.'

'Oh, well, I think you will do,' (beginning to look relieved.)

'Be sure the vegetables are not overdone, and the coffee good—my brother is very particular about his coffee. And we will have a Florentine pudding?' with an inquiring look.

'Yes'm,' readily.

The new cook was already girding himself with one of the white towels that lay on the dresser, and casting a scrutinizing glance at the range fire.

Quite reassured in spirit, Emma was turning away when she stopped to add:

'I will lay the table myself to-day, Mac, and fill the fruit dishes and vases; but if you give satisfaction I will intrust you with the key of the china closet, and you will have the entire care of the table.'

And with a gracious nod the young lady withdrew from the kitchen.

She piled the fruit dished with rosy pears, golden oranges, and white grapes; filled the vases with roses, lillies and ferns; set clusters of dainty glasses filled with amber jelly among the silver and china, and then with a sigh of satisfaction at the result, ran away to dress.

'I'll not go near the kitchen to even smell the dinner. I don't know anything about cooking it, and will trust to luck. I have an idea that Mac is really capable—is going to prove a treasure. His dress was so neat and he was so quiet and respectful,' concluded Emma, leisurely arranging her hair.

Her new dress, with its abundant lace and cardinal ribbons, was very becoming and fitted the petite, round figure so perfectly that Emma felt at peace with all the world.

'I have heard that Mr. Arthur Maxwell is very fastidious in the matter of ladies' dress,' mused Emma, twisting her head over her shoulder to see the effect of her sash. 'I wonder what his first impression of me will be. I should like to have poor Abbey's brother like me.'

At length the last bracelet was clasped, the last touch given, and retiring backward from the mirror with a radiant face, Emma turned and ran up to the nursery to see the children dressed for company and also to speak with the boys—and it must be confessed, flirt a little with Mr. Vincent, the tutor, who was always at her service for this exercise.

There was a delightfully savory odor pervading the house, when she came down and set out the wine and ice, and made a few additions to the table.

She looked at her watch—2:05. Then she went softly to the end of the hall, and listened to the lively clatter in the kitchen. She could hear Mac chatting pleasantly with the little housemaid, Nancy, and all seemed to be well in that direction.

At 2:10 she repaired to the drawing-room and took a seat overlooking the street.

Carriages came and [illegible] door, the dinner-bell rang. 'Not come?' asked Mr. Maye, at sight of Emma's disappointed face.

'No,' she pouted; 'and such a nice dinner!'

'Very strange!' mused that gentleman, leading the way into the dinning room. 'I hadn't the least doubt—Why, my dear, fellow,' seizing by the shoulders the new cook, who, acting also as butler, had just placed the soup tureen upon the table—'my dear, dear fellow, why, how is this? Emma declared you hadn't come!'

That young lady grew as white as the table cloth, and grasped a chair for support.

'That Mr. Arthur Maxwell! I—I thought it was the cook.'

'I came earlier than I expected, and in time to make myself useful to Miss Emma,' laughed Mr. Maxwell, divesting himself of his white towel and bowing with grace and dignity to that young lady.

How could she have fallen into such an error?

'I was so terribly anxious—that I didn't look at you twice. Mr. Maxwell, I hope you will forgive me!' stammered Emma as red now as she had been pale.

'There is nothing, to forgive, if my dinner turns out well,' he added, laughing, evidently the sweetest-tempered man in the world. 'I learned to cook when I was a student in Paris—a Frenchman taught me. I have been rather proud of my culinary skill, but I am a little out of practice now, am not quite sure of the Florentine.'

'Emma!' cried Mr. Maye, 'what does all this mean?'

'Why, John, you promised to send me up a cook.'

Mr. Maye clasped his hands in a tragical manner.

'I forgot it.'

'Well, he came just at 10 o'clock, I thought he was the cook; I ushered him into the kitchen, among the pots an pans, I questioned him as to what he knew about cooking. I urged him to hurry and serve dinner; and—and I called him an Irishman!' sobbed Emma hysterically.

'No offense, Miss Emma. My grandfather, on my mother's side—Major Trelawny—was an Irishman,' observed Mr. Maxwell cooly. 'And since I have done my best won't you try the soup before it is cold?'

The others stared and Emma cried, but Mr. Maye laughed—laughed uproariously.

'The best joke of the season! Sit down, everybody. Emma, you foolish girl, don't cry. Arthur doesn't care. And as for your Florentine—Arthur, tell Nancy to bring it in. The proof of the pudding is always in the eating, as you of course know.'

'Miss Emma won't cry when she tastes my soup,' remarked Arthur, as he commenced ladling it out promptly with an air of pride.

And then they all fell to talking and praising, and urging Emma to taste and praise, until she laughed and cried all together.

But Mr. Arthur was so delightful, so winning and so witty, so kind to his agitated young hostess, and he had cooked such an excellent dinner—from the pigeons to the pudding, everything was perfect.

By-an-by Emma was herself once more.

'This has taught me a good lesson, indeed,' she said 'I never will be so desperately situated again. I will learn to cook.'

'Let me teach you,' said Arhur, smiling.

He did.

A Boy in a Printing Office.

It seems that the chief end of small boys is to talk. Without the ability to say two columns of solid nonpareil in a half hour, or less time, they would pine away and die. One of them was in the *Log Cabin* office the other day. He began:

"This is a printing office, ain't it?"
"It is."
"Is what?"
"A printing office."
"What are you doing?"
"Setting type."
"What are you setting type for, anyhow?"
"For the paper."
"Is them the things you print papers with."
"Yes."
"How long did it take you to learn to set type?"
"Ten years."
"Could I learn to set type?"
"No."
"Why?"
"Because."
"Because what?"
"You talk too much."
"Is that so?"
"Yes."
"Ain't you foolin' me?"
"No."
"What's this?"
"That is a press."
"A cider press?"
"Not any."
"What's this?"
"Gol blast your hide, you little imp. You've knocked that double-column ad. to pieces."
"What's an ad?"
"Get out of here. You'll pie the whole office."
"What kind of pie?"
"Get out."
"Where's that pie?"
"Leave immediately, I say. Dad gum ye."

"The youngster saw danger in the printer's eye and left. About a dozen yards from the office he stopped and cried back:

"Oh, say?"
"Say what?"
"Don't you want a boy to learn the trade?"

A flying slug was the answer.—*Log Cabin.*

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Some Mistakes [illegible]

'I think you are to [illegible],' exclaimed a [illegible] bolted into the [illegible] sank into a chair [illegible]

'Oh, look here! Don't [illegible] the managing editor, [illegible] screw down the back of his [illegible] still lighted pipe [illegible] published your [illegible] Promised I would [illegible] you. Don't [illegible] managing editor [illegible] in a page of [illegible] office boy to take [illegible] instructions to carry [illegible] der penalty of the [illegible] tiest thing we ever [illegible] I set it up in type [illegible] wouldn't be any [illegible] the warp, now, that's [illegible]

'I—I knew [illegible] moaned the fair [illegible] it look like when [illegible] did I ever say:

'We'll meet in the [illegible]

'I wrote it:

'We'll meet in the [illegible]

'And then you [illegible]

'Here's to the [illegible]

'And if you had [illegible] known that it was:

'Here's to the maiden [illegible]

And here she went into [illegible] convulsions.

'But that's all right [illegible] managing editor, [illegible] that whopper about setting up the matter himself.

'The new idea about the [illegible] improvement on [illegible] it under the head of [illegible] school of poetry, [illegible] the managing editor, [illegible] just appeared in our paper, [illegible] name attached to it has attracted more attention and been more extensively copied than any other [illegible] has appeared in this country for twenty years!'

'Do you mean to tell me that [illegible]' demanded the fair [illegible] up with a jerk. [illegible]

'If it hadn't been that we [illegible] *Eagles* and had to let the [illegible] exchanges as they could [illegible] I could show you the [illegible] thousand first class [illegible] managing editor, [illegible] rubbing his hands.

'Didn't any of [illegible] that awful blunder, [illegible]

'Five pigs [illegible]

'When I wrote it [illegible]

'Five swine [illegible]

'Didn't they seem to think that was a little far fetched?'

'I think more people bought [illegible] papers on that [illegible] protested the [illegible] critic came out [illegible] the universe [illegible] poetess who [illegible] you had done. [illegible] rhymes together [illegible]

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[illegible] at least that length of time. [illegible] must decline to touch them under three years,' and the managing editor turned to his work and relighted his pipe, as though he had [illegible] a victory that day.

'Pretty well done,' [illegible] the city editor, strolling in [illegible] took her departure. 'When she first came I thought you were done for.'

'Oh, no,' replied the managing editor carelessly. 'You have only got to know how to handle these people.'

'But the poem she was talking about wasn't here at all,' continued the city editor. 'It was written by one of the reporters as a bit of [illegible] in my desk now.'

'Kill it!' roared the managing editor, turning fiercely on the city editor. [illegible] the thing, and, by the way, I saw that two of the New York papers had put [illegible] on them of Brooklyn [illegible] The next time that [illegible] hunting around for [illegible] paper for you!' [illegible] city editor [illegible] editor commenced [illegible] Press to a Moral [illegible] of the Masses.—Brooklyn *Eagle.*

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REPUBLICAN STATE CONVENTION.

HEADQUARTERS REPUBLICAN STATE COM.

HARRISBURG, PA., May 3, 1883.—The Republican State Convention will be held in the Hall of the House of Representatives on the second Wednesday, (11th inst.) of July, 1883, at 11 o'clock noon, for the purpose of nominating candidates for Auditor General and State Treasurer, and the transaction of other business. The attention of Republicans throughout the State is respectfully directed to the following permanent rules established for the holding of State Conventions, and the conduct of the party:

First. That delegates to State Conventions shall be chosen in the manner in which candidates for the General Assembly are nominated, except in senatorial districts composed of more than one county, in which conferees for the selection of Senatorial delegates shall be chosen in the manner aforesaid.

Second. Hereafter the State Convention of the Republican party shall be held on the second Wednesday of July, except in the year of the Presidential election, when it shall be held not more than thirty days previous to the day fixed for the National Convention, and at least sixty days' notice shall be given of the date of the State Convention.

Third. That we recommend to the County organizations, that in their rules they allow the largest freedom in the general participation in the primaries consistent with the preservation of the party organization.

By order Republican State Committee,
THOS. V. COOPER,
Chairman.

Political Announcements.

To insure insertion, announcements under this head must be paid for in advance.

COUNTY TREASURER.

EDITOR MINER.—Please announce my name as a candidate for the nomination for County Treasurer, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

A. F. BANNON.
Kendall, Pa., June 6, 1883.

EDITOR MINER.—Please announce my name as a candidate for nomination for County Treasurer, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

J. R. SHOEMAKER.
Smethport, Pa., June 12, 1883.

EDITOR MINER.—Please announce my name as a candidate for nomination for County Treasurer, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

W. H. WIGGINS.
Alton, Pa., June 21, 1883.

REPUBLICAN COUNTY CONVENTION.

In accordance with a resolution adopted by the Republican County Committee the Republican County Convention will meet at the Court House in Smethport, on Tuesday, the 26th day of June, 1883, at 2 p. m., for the purpose of selecting delegates to the State Convention at Harrisburg, July 11, 1883. Caucuses will be held in each election district on Saturday, the 23rd day of June inst., in accordance with the rules of the Republican party and under the provisions of the acts of the General Assembly, approved June 8th and June 29th, 1881, respectively. Attention is directed to the following rules adopted for the government of the Republican caucuses of McKean county

gaged, and will conduct a New York orchestra of 101 musicians. The "Fest" will open on Monday evening, July 16, with a "Reception" concert, in which some five hundred Buffalo singers will participate. The combined chorus expected to attend will probably number 2,000 voices. A stately music hall is being built in the very heart of the city; the building is not merely a temporary structure, but it is constructed of brick, stone and iron, and will cost $150,000. The seating capacity will be 5,500. The building will be capable of being altered for theatrical engagements, and will be ready for that purpose in December.

A REMINISCENCE.

Tribulations of a Lecturer—Bob Burdett's Experience with Street Boys.

I remember so well the first time I ever solemnly and forever left the platform. It was on the 11 or 12th of May, at Antwerp, Ohio. The weather was warm. The hard-backed bugs and the big blundering beetles that fly by night were abundant and offensive. The open windows of the hall gave the boys on the street, as they patrolled their noisy beats, abundant opportunity to chaff the lecturer, whose gigantic form they could plainly see, but whose eloquent remarks they could but dimly hear and illy comprehend.

As a general thing, I have observed that when the lecturer on the platform and the boys in the street are addressing one audience at the same time, the audience seems to be most profoundly interested in the remarks of the boys. I thought, and I still think, it is very foolish for an audience to pay fifty cents a head to hear me, and then sit and listen to the boys whom they might have heard for nothing. But that is the way an audience has, anyhow. So that night, I did not care for the boys. I would not permit the thinking man to go out and entreat the boys roughly and compel them to "shut up their heads," as he wished to do, not even when they mocked me, and in shrill falsetto entreated me to "give them a rest," assuring me they "heard enough of that," and besought me, with illy dissembled concern, not to "bite off more than I could chew." I only

[illegible],
Chairman Rep. Co. Com.

NEXT WEEK'S CONVENTION.

As this is the last issue of the MINER before the convention of next Tuesday, we wish to urge upon every republican the wisdom and expediency of a full representation from every precinct in the county. It is of the first importance that the primaries be well attended and representative delegates selected. The selection of delegates to the Harrisburg convention is, as announced in the call of the chairman, the main business that will come before the county convention, but there will other questions arise for disposal of equal importance to the organization and success of the party, the fixing of the time for holding the next county nominating convention, the selection of a chairman of the committee, &c. The party in McKean county is in excellent condition and good fighting trim. With harmony and a well perfected organization we can confidently look for an old-time triumph this fall.

WITH three good candidates in the field for the county treasurer nomination—each and every one worthy and capable—the republican convention can with difficulty escape making a good nomination.

A "HOME" ENDORSEMENT.

Westmoreland county is the old home of Col. Ege. He has lived in that county many years, and is well known to all of her people. The republican convention of Westmoreland has instructed its delegates to support him for State Treasurer at the State convention, and unanimously adopted the following very emphatic resolution:

Resolved, That the return judges of Westmoreland county, in convention assembled, hereby express their confidence in Col. J. A. Ege, of Bradford, Pa., as a fit person for the nomination for State Treasurer.

Such an endorsement from the people of his old home is certainly a testimonial of no small weight to his personal strength and popularity.

In the same connection we add below the hearty endorsement of the Corry *Telegraph*, who has known the Col. many years before he came to McKean county:

We understand that friends of Col. J. A. Ege, of Bradford, intend to present his name before the State Convention as a candidate for State Treasurer, on the republican ticket. We are glad to hear that such is the case, and knowing him so many years, can endorse all that can be said of him, as an honest and honorable man, a staunch republican, a gallant soldier and a successful business man, the latter quality being the great desideratum for the Treasurer of our great State. Col. Ege was a resident of Greensburg, Westmoreland Co., when first we made his acquaintance, and while there was elected at Cincinnati Supreme Dictator of the Knights of Honor, holding the office for one year, and then was re-elected the following year at the annual session in New York city, during which two terms the Order was successfully guided and governed to a prosperous growth, gaining the proud title of being the most numerous and most efficiently conducted beneficial organization in the United States. Since then Col. Ege has moved to Bradford, where he has been engaged for some years in banking, with the Huff Brothers, and his eminent financial ability has made that bank one of the most successful in the oil regions, and in doing so he has made hosts of friends, by his generous yet safe management, and his peculiarly social manners, which win the respect and admiration of all who come in business or social contact with him. His political capabilities as a leader are such as gain him the support of all with whom he comes in contact, making friends of opponents and winning to his side and aid the previously belligerent and lukewarm. We commend Col. Ege to the consideration and support of our friends hereabout, and would suggest, that in such a man as he in the position of State Treasurer, opponents of beneficial organizations honorably conducted would find his influence always wielded against their insidious attempts at unjust legislation, and the organizations a watchful supporter and friend.

THE republican Senate immediately upon reassembling adopted a concurrent resolution yielding the right to draw pay during the recess just ended. Now what will the democratic House do about it?

THE MINER has always been theoretically at least favorable to the use of cold water. We are now practically so in that we have abandoned steam and taken to the use of water as a motive power.

THE story in circulation principally among newspapers outside of the State that the chairmanship of the Republican State Committee lies between Chas. E. Smith of the Philadelphia *Press* and ex-Gov. Hoyt, comes very near to being the biggest lie that has yet found its way into print.

STILL another candidate for county treasurer makes his public announcement in this issue of the MINER in the person of W. H. Wiggins of Alton. He is a gentleman well known in most sections of the county and has been for many years actively identified in State and county politics. His record is that of a thorough and staunch republican, a gentleman of undoubted integrity and first class business qualifications. Although the third in the field he would no doubt be first in the race if nominated and prove a capable and satisfactory officer.

THE republicans in the legislature cannot afford to make concessions now in the apportionments. They have conceded all that is fair and reasonable and all that the minority party of the State could ask for. The democrats of the House "wanted the world" because they happened to have a majority in that body. They demanded everything and conceded nothing, and thus the regular session wore away with nothing done. The young democratic governor thought by calling an immediate extra session to force further concession on the part of the republicans. The governor and his party are solely responsible for the extra session and the extraordinary expense. The republicans can afford to stand upon their rights and let the opposition take their own time to accede to fair apportionments. Let there be weakening in the republican ranks at Harrisburg.

THE democracy of Venango county have evidently been culling wisdom from the lips of Watterson. Resolutions adopted at their recent county convention declare that import duties levied to support special industries means taxation without corresponding revenue, and they demand a tariff for revenue only. They express the belief that the democrats of the entire northwestern part of the State are for free trade, and they entertain the hope that a free trade plank will be adopted by the democratic State convention. Democratic folly cherishes the purpose to tear down the prosperity of a great commonwealth which has been builded by a protective tariff. The purpose has been declared. It is not confined to a single county. It is hoped to make it the policy of the democratic party of the State. Free trade and protective tariff will join issue. Republicanism and protective tariff in Pennsylvania are almost synonymous terms. When democracy deliberately and boldly arrays itself against the interests of Pennsylvania its annihilation is ensured.

THE chairman of the democratic committee of this State has issued a call for a State convention August 1st. As usual that party waits to see what the republicans will do before daring to assert themselves.

THE republicans of Fayette and counties have held their conventions, but did not nominate a candidate for president judge. The district is strongly democratic, and they are waiting for the democrats of Greene county to nominate a respectable democrat against Searight, the Dukes candidate of the democracy of Fayette county. All respectable men of the district feel that he must be beaten.

Strong Endorsement from Crawford.

Colonel J. A. Ege, of McKean county, is prominently spoken of in connection with a position on the State ticket, probably that of State Treasurer. The Colonel is a man of a good deal of personal popularity, and would for any office command more than a party vote. He has the support of Senator L. Emery, Jr., whose influence is not confined to the oil region, but who is beginning to loom up for governor. The *Era* gives Ege a good send off and Colonel Ege would be entirely acceptable in this quarter. If nominated, he would run like Maud S. He has a brilliant war record and has for years contributed to the support of republican papers with a liberal hand.—Titusville *Herald.*

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

Chief Justice Waite says his mouth is sealed on the subject of politics.

"Dorsey and Brady" would make an appropriate republican ticket for 1884.—Courier.

The Ohio democrats intimate a determination to spend a good deal of money in the ensuing campaign.

Mr. Blaine is calmly writing history instead of making it, and no one feels an absolutely consuming interest in what his forthcoming book will say.

The New York Sun wants all the rascals turned out of office. A large portion of the democracy will consider this an underhanded and insidious blow at the party.—Troy *Times.*

The Charleston *News and Courier* confesses that it is almost alone among the democratic papers of South Carolina in condemning Secretary of State Lipscomb for removing a subordinate for political reasons.

The Vicksburg *Herald* claims to be justified in predicting that the democratic presidential nomination for 1884 will not fall upon Tilden, Cleveland, Hendricks, Bayard, Hancock, Thurman or McDonald.

Phipps must go to the penitentiary. The motion for a new trial has been overruled by Judge Allison and the distinguished almshouse thief will be sentenced in two weeks.—Williamsport *Gazette & Bulletin.*

The New Haven *Register*, dem. offers to prove by testimony which cannot be impeached that Governor Waller's nomination was procured by fraud. The democracy in Connecticut is anything but harmonious.

Wharton Barker, of Philadelphia, says that the independents of Pennsylvania will cordially unite with the regulars in the coming campaign if they are given explicit guarantees of fair treatment and fair party management hereafter.

The Springfield *Union* is right when it declares that the republicans of Massachusetts are not worrying about a candidate with whom to beat Governor Butler so that they cannot attend to their business. The man will be forthcoming.

Isaac McHose of Reading, Pa., publishes a letter in the *Times* of that city in which he advocates a free, unrestricted, and uncontrolled republican State convention, and says if he is nominated for State treasurer he will not decline the honor.

The prohibitionists of Ohio are a cranky set. The republicans have submitted a prohibitory amendment to a vote of the people, but instead of concentrating their efforts upon that, the lunatics play into the hands of the free rum party by running a separate ticket.—Boston *Herald.*

"Tilden and Brady" would make an admirable democratic reform ticket for 1884. Both gentlemen were indicted for frauds against the United States; the government had grounds for action against both, but failed to make out a case.—Buffalo *Commercial Advertiser.*

Senator Don Cameron offers his fortress-looking brick and mortar pile for sale at $100,000, having had just one winter of entertainment in it. It is understood that Mrs. Cameron will remain in England a year. She attends the Ascot races next week, and is to sit with the Prince of Wales' party on one of the days.

Speaking of Ohio politics, the New York *Tribune* says that "the platform makes the tariff the main issue in the coming contest." The *Tribune* may be mistaken. Senator Sherman's nomination would have given that issue far greater prominence. It is the impression in these parts that we are entering upon a "local" fight.—Cincinnati *Star* (Ind.)

The republican state convention did itself honor by endorsing the administration of President Arthur. It is not pretended that his every act and appointment has been satisfactory to the party in this state, but his general policy has been so wise and conservative as to justify the sincere and emphatic resolution passed by the convention.—Cleveland *Leader.*

Several newspapers object to Senator Beck as a democratic presidential candidate, simply because he was born in Scotland. This objection is idle. The constitution does, indeed, shut out foreign born citizens from the presidency. But it does not prohibit them from running for the presidency, and being beaten by a native-born republican. Give Mr. Beck a chance.—N. Y. *Tribune.*

Possibly. But if this be so, why this display of prenatural toughness? Why this running up and down stairs and scampering through halls and trotting about farm lanes and walking and talking his friends to exhaustion to demonstrate that he is the toughest old democrat in all these United States? Like another distinguished character, S. J. T. is "tough—*and devilish sly.*"—Cleveland *Herald.*

The Buffalo *Express* cannot conceive why Watterson, Manning, Hendricks and Voorhees should wish to galvanize an old mummy like Tilden into a leader for 1884. The old man is "cold as a dam clam," as somebody said seven years ago, and has no place in the busy, vigorous life of to-day. "So far as we know," says the *Express*, "this is a conundrum without an answer." It is not so hard as that. One answer is that Tilden has a corner on brains in the democratic market.—Buffalo *Commercial Advertiser.*

Nothing could be more untrue than the assertion which one meets in a great many democratic papers that the prosecution of the star-routers has failed in consequence of the half-heartedness of the government, unless it be the other assertion, that before, during and since the trial favor has been shown to these men by their party friends. The reverse is true. The prosecution was undertaken by a republican administration, the two trials have taken place. The burden of the work of prosecution was thrown upon leading democratic lawyers. The government has taken advantage of every shred of evidence it could bring to prove the guilt of men who had held office under a republican administration.—Boston *Advertiser.*

Judge Foraker says he has always been met with the charge of being too young. When he fell in love with a red haired girl at thirteen, when he enlisted at seventeen, and now that he is nominated for governor at thirty-seven. But surely the democrats can not make any capital against the judge on the score of his age. He is several years older than Governor Pattison, of Pennsylvania, and the fact that Pattison was quite a young man was strongly urged by his supporters last fall. Democrats must not stultify themselves by raising any such cry as that against Judge Foraker. Besides, Judge Foraker is old enough to defeat any democrat that can be named against him, and the republican party has always believed in young men.—Elmira *Advertiser.*

President Arthur's Attitude.

Howard, the Washington correspondent of the Philadelphia *Times* in a letter to that paper dated June 16, says: "I met Henry Watterson on the street this afternoon, in a very jovial state of mind, and, over an exhilarating gin puff or so, enjoyed an hour's conversation with him on many topics, embracing, among others, politics, special correspondents and personalities. Watterson is a man about forty five years of age, short, stout and very magnetic. As the editor of the *Courier Journal* he has enjoyed advantages, personal and professional, of no mean order. He is the well known intimate friend of Mr. Tilden, and I am free to say I relished, with unfeigned admiration, the coolness and audacity with which he looked me straight in the eye, through the bottom of a tumbler, and told me he was seriously convinced that if Mr. Tilden could be elected President of the United States he would not take the trouble to qualify, and that, therefore, all talk about his taking upon himself the care, trouble, worry and bother of a campaign was the merest bosh. I didn't believe him, and told him so. I have no more doubt that Mr. Tilden will be, if he can compass it, the nominee of the next Democratic Presidential Convention than I have that the friends of Arthur are determined to push him for a second term.

"Perhaps you don't believe that?

"Now let us look at it. As I wrote you the other day, the feeling hereabouts for Arthur is all one way. Nobody has anything against him; everybody admits his sturdiness, his respectability, his loyalty, his conservatism and the rare sagacity manifested by him in his numerous appointments. In the next Republican Convention there will be 818 delegates. It will be necessary to secure for a nomination, 420. As matters look now, is there any doubt that Arthur will go into that convention with the solid South at his back and a solid South means that mysterious and significant number, 306. That leaves 114 only to be obtained, with New England, New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania and the boundless West to glean from. As matters stand to-day it seems to me utterly impossible to defeat Arthur in case he is willing to make the fight.

"With considerable chaff is there not perhaps a grain or two of sense in the suggestion that Tilden of New York and Watterson of Kentucky, would be about as good a ticket as the Democrats could possibly alive. Remember all that was urged in favor of Mr. Tilden when he was elected before. He is older, but he is stronger and richer. In addition to all that was said of him during his first campaign comes that vast sentiment which lodges in the minds of Republicans as well as Democrats. Estimable as Mr. Hayes may be in his private character it would be supremest folly to argue, in the light of the Louisiana frauds, that there is not a very general conviction throughout the country that Tilden was unfairly dealt with and, whether it is desirable to elect a Republican candidate at the next time or not—which is in no sense the question here—there is no doubt that thousands and thousands of Republicans felt at the last election that it would be their duty, in case Tilden were nominated, to vote for him and give the old man another chance. I know I felt so and I heard very, very many pronounced Republicans, who had never voted anything but the straight Republican ticket, say the same thing.

"In my judgment, the retention of George Bliss in Washington for a still longer period means more than is apparent upon the surface. When George Bliss was private secretary of Governor Morgan, in Albany, he was the chief magistrate of the State in everything but the name, and I have noticed in conventions, in consultations, in court, that wherever Macgregor Bliss sits is the head of the table. He is in Washington for the purpose of manipulating the Arthurian campaign, and he has a very much better basis for success than he had in the star route case.

"It is said that President Arthur's natural disposition to avoid trouble, to live quietly and to ignore the strifes of the day would disincline him from the excessive labor entailed by a fight for the nomination. Don't you make any such mistake. Arthur is a quiet, taciturn, self-contained, self caring man undoubtedly, but there is a great deal of human nature in Arthur. He was not elected president, although he is making a first rate one, and it would prove a very proud feather in his cap, if, at the expiration of a three years and a half successful administration, he could be honored by his party with a nomination. That of itself would be an intensely gratifying circumstance. The election is another thing. It doesn't follow that because he is nominated he will be elected, although it is an even chance that he would be. I know that the matter is under consideration, and that, although the President absolutely refused, some little time ago, to talk of the matter or to give it an uttered thought, he is now in that mysterious and, at times, embarrassing position expressed by the phrase 'in the hands of his friends.' Obviously it is to the interest of his friends to keep him where he is, and no effort will be spared to effect that end.

"The one man who has nothing to lose and nothing to gain by harmony is President Arthur. He sits serene in the White House. If he leaves it, he does so with honor. If he returns to it, it will be because the country wishes him. Harmony in the party in New York state won't help him especially. Neither could it harm him. Under any circumstances provided he continues, as he undoubtedly will, in his present wise course, he is tolerably certain of a majority of the delegations from this state; and it is tolerably certain that state pride and the maneuvering of George Bliss and other quick-witted lieutenants will secure the rest.

The noticeable point in all this, aside from the personalities, is, however, that the presidential bee has begun to buzz early in the season. This is as true of the Democratic side of the house as of the Republican. The *Sun* persistently and frequently denies that Mr. Tilden is a candidate. The *Herald*, with its peculiarity nagging jocoseness, declines to be so convinced. The *World* is evidently afraid that he will be—else why should it, day in and day out, insist upon it that Mr. Tilden is in no sense a leader and that the only position he occupies is "historical?"

Work of the Legislature.

The following are the most important measures passed by the legislature at its recent session:

The act to prohibit freight discriminations.

The free pipe act.

The judicial salary act.

The law to prevent consolidation of telegraph companies.

Abolishing the recorder's office in Philadelphia.

The voluntary tribunal act to adjust labor disputes.

Prohibiting cities and boroughs from levying mercantile licenses upon commercial travelers.

Abolishing the office of sealers of weights and measures.

The act to prohibit political assessments.

The act regulating official salaries in the county of Philadelphia.

The act for the supervision and control of insane hospitals and private mad houses.

A Day's Work by the Governor.

Last Wednesday governor Pattison took off his coat with a determination to clear up some of the work that the legislature had left for him to do. The bills signed by his excellency were as follows:

To prohibit the receiving and detaining of children in alms houses.

To abolish the contract labor system in prisons.

Requiring Assessors to make return of timber land.

Providing payment to miners for all clean coal mined.

Appropriating $2,500 for expenses of commissioners to examine the method of book keeping in the departments of the commonwealth.

To fix the salaries of county officers in counties of 150,000 inhabitants.

Providing that the wages of servants and others shall first be paid from the sale of insolvent debtors' effects.

Providing for the republication of the Supreme Court reports.

Authorizing the discharge of prisoners in jail under insolvent acts.

Directing the investment of money remaining to the credit of the several sinking funds of cities of the second class.

Authorizing the commitment to the house of correction in cities of the first class vagrants who receive shelter and food at wayfarers lodges and refuse to perform work.

Providing for changing dividing lines between adjoining boroughs.

Granting a pension to Andrew Boyd.

For the better security and safety of bituminous coal miners.

Ceding protection over lands in the commonwealth acquired by the United States.

Relating to the distribution of unclaimed human bodies for scientific purposes.

Fixing the date of commencement of terms of borough officers and Auditors settlements.

To prohibit political assessments.

To prevent the selling of theatre tickets on public streets and highways.

Establishing a separate Orphans' Court in Berks county.

To prevent the consolidation of competing pipe lines.

Providing for the care and treatment of indigent insane in State hospitals.

For the better protection of the electors of the State.

Fixing the salaries of Judges of separate Orphans' Court.

Amending the penal laws relating to lotteries.

Granting authority to courts of Common Pleas to issue writs of estrepement to stay waste upon land sold for taxes during the time provided for redemption.

Indian Fighter Crook.

Brigadier General George Crook graduated from West Point July 1, 1852, and was appointed a brevet second lieutenant in the Fourth infantry, was made a full lieutenant March 11, 1856, a captain May 14, 1861. On September 13, 1861, he was appointed colonel of the Thirty sixth Ohio infantry; on September 7, 1862, he was made brigadier general of volunteers, brevetted major general of volunteers July 18, 1864, a full major general October 21, 1864, and on the 15th of January, 1866, was honorably discharged from the volunteer service. July 18, 1866, he was made major of the Thirty-third United States infantry, and ten days after was made lieutenant colonel. October 29, 1873, he was appointed brigadier general, U. S. A. Of the the six of his grade of officers, he is fifth—Pope, Howard, Terry and Augur ranking him, while Miles is his junior. He is called by General Sherman the best Indian fighter in the army. Terry and Miles are not graduates of the military academy, but the other four brigadier generals are. The general, the lieutenant general and the major generals, Hancock, Scofield and McDowell, all came from West Point.

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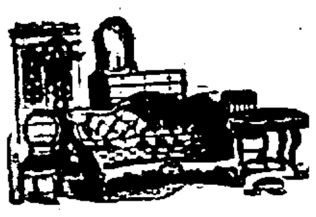

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE OF A WRIT OF FIERI FACIAS, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of McKean county, and to me directed, I shall expose to sale at public vendue at the premises described below, on

MONDAY, JUNE 25th, 1883,

at 1 o'clock p. m.

All the defendant's interest (being the undivided one-fourth) of all that piece, parcel or tract of land situate in Otto township, McKean county, Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to wit:—Beginning at the southwest corner of the C. E. Lovell lot, at stake and stones in Warrant [illegible] as run by L. [illegible], thence east along Lovell's south line forty-four rods to stake and stones, thence north along Lovell's east line twenty-five and 6-10 rods to stake and stones, thence east sixty-three and 5-10 rods to stake and stones, thence south [illegible] east [illegible] rods to stake and stones, thence south [illegible] stake and stones, thence west one hundred eight and [illegible] rods to stake and stones in Warrant line, thence north twenty-one and [illegible] rods to place of beginning as run [illegible] W. Ingham, for a part of warrant No. [illegible], containing twenty five acres, be the same more or less, having thereon erected oil wells, three water wells, eleven carpenter's rigs, with boiler houses, engine houses, boilers, engines, oil tanks, tubing, casing, sucker-rods, water, steam and gas fixtures and connections necessary for producing oil, and all and singular the appurtenances thereto and thereunto belonging.

Seized, taken in execution and will be sold as the property of H. R. Logan at the suit of S. R. Logan for use of Warren Savings Bank of Warren, Pa.

A. L. WILCOX, Sheriff.
Sheriff's Office, Smethport, Pa., June 1, 1883.

Administratrix Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that in pursuance and by virtue of an order and decree of the Orphans Court in and for the county of McKean issued out of said court on June 5, 1883, I will expose for sale to the highest and best bidder on Friday, the 29th day of June, 1883, at 10 o'clock a. m., on the premises hereafter described, the real estate owned by Simon Glenn, late of Keating township, deceased:

All that certain piece, parcel or tract of land situate lying and being in the township of Keating, county of McKean and state of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to wit—on the west by land occupied by the McKean & Buffalo R. R., on the south by lot No. 1, owned by James Tracy, on the east by land owned by W. A. [illegible] and on the north by lot No. 3, having four rods front on the said McKean & Buffalo R. R., and running east nine rods to said [illegible] line, containing [illegible] of land, being lot No. 2, of a plot of land laid out by F. Ford. On said lot of ground is a frame dwelling house two stories high. Terms, cash, one-fourth at time of sale and balance on confirmation thereof.

ANNA GLENN, Administratrix,
of Simon Glenn, deceased.
[illegible], June 5, 1883—3t-6t.

Auditor's Report.

J. C. Backus, Treasurer of Smethport School District, in account with school fund for the school year ending June 1st, 1883.

DR.	
To received of ex-treasurer Sherrett as per last audit	$ 60 16
To amount of school tax collected	[illegible]
To State appropriation	137 34
To received from county treasurer unseated tax for 1881 and 1882	136 71
To received for tuition	[illegible]
Total	$ [illegible]
CR.	
By paid drafts for putting in water and bal. on seats	[illegible]
By paid drafts for repairs on school building	[illegible]
By paid teachers wages	[illegible]
By paid for fuel, etc	[illegible]
By paid secretary's salary	[illegible]
By paid collector's fee	[illegible]
By paid 1 per cent. commission as treasurer	[illegible]
Total	$ [illegible]
Balance due school fund	[illegible]
BOND FUND.	
J. C. Backus, treasurer Smethport School district, in account with bond fund for the school year ending June 1st, 1883.	
DR.	
To amount received of ex-treasurer Sherrett as per last audit	$ [illegible]
To tax collected	[illegible]
To amount received from county treasurer unseated tax for 1881 and 1882	[illegible]
Total	$ [illegible]
CR.	
By paid coupons for bonds	[illegible]
By commission as treasurer	[illegible]
By " " collector	[illegible]
Total	$ [illegible]
Balance due bond fund	$ [illegible]
RESOURCES.	
Amount due from collector Burlingame, school fund	$ [illegible]
Backus & Chadwick judgment	[illegible]
Bal. due from treasurer J. C. Backus	[illegible]
BOND FUND.	
Amount due from col. Burlingame	[illegible]
Bal. due from treasurer Backus	[illegible]
LIABILITIES.	
Drafts, outstanding, school	$ [illegible]
Bonds outstanding	[illegible]

T. F. RICHMOND, }
JOHN FORREST, } Aud'rs.

Dissolution Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the co-partnership formerly existing between the undersigned under the firm name of [illegible] is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The accounts of said firm will be [illegible] by C. R. Lamb who will settle all debts of said firm.

W. E. [illegible],
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NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS.

When felines in the dead of night
Unfurled their safvatives in air,
He tore his linen robe of white
And flung his boot-jack madly there.

—The windows of heaven seem to be left open most of the time now.

—The sheriff went to Allegheny last Friday with four convicts.

—The term of court this week was of a rather uninteresting character.

—The commissioners loaded their court into a wagon and took it to Kane Monday afternoon.

—The sights and sounds observable in the neighborhood of the big bridge remind one of a circus.

—Three more prisoners, all from Bradford, have been accommodated with quarters in the jail during the week.

—The committee of arrangements for Fourth of July celebration are working like beavers to make the affair successful.

—There certainly does not exist any handsomer pets than the pair of red foxes to be seen at Chet King's billiard room.

—Fishing is good in the streams hereabout and the boys have been bringing in some fine strings of bass, trout and suckers.

—Everything now promises a big time on the Fourth, and there is no doubt that the occasion will be a most enjoyable one.

—Some seven or eight million feet of timber in logs have been put out of the Oswayo this spring by C. S. Wells of Bell's Run.

—It has been a bad week. Not a single good accident or a particularly attrocious crime has come to light in all the county.

—A bear cub was brought to the Rockwell House stable on Wednesday, which furnished a fund of amusement for the boys for a time.

—The Olean *Mirror* was last week changed from a Sunday to a week-day publication, and will, hereafter, come from the press on Saturdays.

—The Nolan-Rosenberg case was before the Court on Tuesday evening again, but still there seems to be no balm for the healing of Rosenberg's wounds.

—The reduced rates of fare on all the railroads from the third to the fifth of July will add greatly to the crowd that will be in attendance here to celebrate.

—The Tide Water pipe company are rebuilding their track at their loading rack at Frisbee and will resume the shipment of oil to Buffalo from that point.

—John DuBois, of DuBois, has filed a claim against the New York & Brooklyn Bridge Company for infringing upon his patent floating coffer-dam.—*Exchange.*

—The commissioners who drove to Kane on Monday and returned Wednesday complain that the roads are in a bad condition and that it is a long hard drive.

—Attorneys report that the present term of argument court has been a most satisfactory one, a large amount of old business having been gotten out of the way.

—"The dogs upon Canoe Camp creek are about all dead. A few were poisoned; the rest barked themselves to death at candidates for county treasurer."—Mansfield *Advertiser.*

—It is not easy to calculate accurately just what the rainfall in this neighborhood for the last thirty days has been, but it is safe to estimate that it has not been far from seventy-five feet.

—Geo. E. Tarbell, the driven well man who was indicted for obtaining money under false pretences, of Franklinville parties, gave $1,000 bail to appear for trial at the next court.—Olean *Democrat.*

—Two-sheet colored posters announce the programme of festivities to be furnished on the Fourth of July. The work was done at the *Courier* office, Buffalo, and is not up to their usual standard of excellence.

—The Extract Works are turning out from two hundred and fifty to three hundred barrels of extract per week. This at fifteen or twenty dollars per barrel makes quite a respectable showing for our principal manufacturing interest.

—Since the refusal of licenses to the hotel and saloon keepers of Port Allegany, it is noticeable that the citizens of that borough, immediately on arriving at the county seat seek some place where liquid refreshments may be obtained.

—On July 4th a game of base ball between the home nine and the Clermont club will be played on the Smethport grounds and will no doubt attract a great deal of attention, partly from the fact that neither nine could play any two weeks ago.

—The Smethport MINER came out last week strongly in favor of Col. J. A. Ege, of Bradford, for state treasurer. There is no doubt that Col. Ege would make the very strongest candidate the republicans could name for that important office.—Port Allegany *Reporter.*

—Our mountains don't make us altogether safe from tornados. A few days since a cyclone passed over Williamsport and that section of country doing great damage to property. In Muncy a boy was killed and the destruction of property amounted to many thousands of dollars.

—The MINER is in receipt of a communication from W. P. Van Gorder, the incendiary recently lodged in the western penitentiary, which declares that some of the best lawyers in the State claim that his conviction and imprisonment are illegal and that he can and will be released.

—By the death of Amasa Stone of Cleveland, Colonel John Hay will come in for about $3,000,000. Of course this removes Colonel Hay from the thorny paths of literature. No man can be expected to write "Little Breeches" poems with the consciousness that he was a dignified millionaire.

—Thursday evening Bradford Post No. 141, J. A. Ege commander, will go to Smethport for the purpose of organizing a lodge in that place. They will leave on the 4:30 p. m. train returning on a special and will be accompanied by music. Already forty-five applications for membership have been received and the post will start off with about fifty charter members.—*Era.*

—Meeting a comrade of the G. A. R., from Camden, N. J., Rev. J. A. Copeland, Commander of Hatch post, of Friendship, was informed that a post of the same name in that city had bought and fitted up an old Baptist church for their quarters, which struck him as a singular coincidence, his post having just bought, [illegible] and about to fit up for [illegible]

Post 341 G. A. R.

This evening commander J. A. Ege, of Bradford Post 141 G. A. R. will arrive in company with a strong detail of his post for the purpose of instituting a post of the order at this place. The Grand Army of the Republic has within the last six or eight years grown to be one of the most important charitable organizations in the country, and deservedly so, as it has but the one controlling idea, that of aiding and assisting one another and the families of those whose military service in defense of the country during the great rebellion which is yet so fresh in all our minds, has impaired their health and left them partially or entirely unable to provide for themselves and those dependent upon them.

Commander-in-Chief Vandervoort, reports that during the first six months of his administration, the order had increased over fifty thousand in membership, and in the number of new posts organized more than one thousand. Such a growth of any order has never been known and may not be again, and speaks volumes for the feeling of fraternity, charity and loyalty that bind the old soldiers together.

The effort to organize a Post in Smethport, though long delayed, has met with success far beyond the expectation of any who at first entered into the scheme for its organization, there being readily obtained almost fifty names of honorably discharged soldiers of the rebellion, who having learned the objects and aims of the order were glad to avail themselves of the opportunity to identify themselves with it.

The muster of the Post will take place at Kittredge's opera house early in the evening, after which a camp-fire will be given to the visiting members of the order and to the public, at which all are invited to be present as it will be an enjoyable affair, and one not seen in this place before.

Arrangements to serve the usual camp-fire repast, pork and beans and coffee, have been made and everything will be done that can be to give zest to the affair and do honor to the visitors who are present.

Everything Booming for the Fourth.

From time to time reports are received from the committee of arrangements for the Fourth of July celebration that all their plans are working in the most satisfactory manner, and that now with a favorable day there is nothing in the way of a most enjoyable and in fact a brilliant observance of the great national holiday.

The gentlemen selected to speak and read on that day have been communicated with and have responded favorably, and the address will be delivered by Capt. W. B. Chapman of Bradford and the magna charta will be read by S. W. Smith, Esq., of Port Allegany.

Half fare rates have been secured over all the railroads leading to the borough and to last during the third, fourth and fifth of the month, so that people, both coming and going will have ample time to travel back and forth at these reduced rates.

The fireworks feature of the affair promises to be of unusual interest. The material therefor has been ordered from manufacturers in Rochester, who are now busy filling the order, some of which has already been shipped.

Altogether it promises to be a gala day for our people and their visitors and will do more toward helping business in the place than has been done in many years.

In the evening a pleasant social dance will be given in the Opera House at which the lovers of the terpsichorean art will have ample opportunity to enjoy themselves. Supper will be served at the Wright House.

Let us all see to it now that this great promise of a pleasant and profitable celebration does not lag on account of any of us not performing fully our respective parts.

A Pitiable Object.

Last Tuesday there was brought to this place from Duke Centre, a man who, after the usual judicial and medical examination had been pronounced insane, and to see him, one would readily concur in the same opinion. He was apparently of Russian birth, short and stout, and of a rather pleasant appearance, but it only needed a glance to convince one that he was entirely demented. In coming here he had several times attempted to escape from the wagon and his keepers, and had torn his clothing almost completely from his person. He seemed to fear that bodily harm was intended him, and, keeping the middle of the street in the mud and rain would not suffer himself to be approached by any person until finally it became necessary to sieze and force him to the jail where he is at present detained.

What the poor creature's story is was not learned, but from time to time he accused some persons of having robbed him of a large sum of money, but this may be purely chimerical. When offered clothing by some of the citizens he refused to accept because the articles were not new. In appearance he was about thirty-five years of age. He will be sent to the insane hospital at North Warren.

Personal Mention.

Judge Olmsted presided at the recent argument court.

E. F. Clark of Bradford has been in town attending to his official duties.

John Markham's big smiling face was exhibited on the streets yesterday.

Mrs. J. H. McElroy, of Bradford, has been visiting some time in the family of Mrs. J. H. Gray, her sister, in Smethport.

Judge Brown of Warren, well known in this neighborhood, was attending court here a few days the first of the present week.

Hon. W. S. Brownell is getting ready to take an extended run through the western country in hopes that his health may be improved thereby.

Mrs. A. Radley, of Farmers Valley, came in to-day and subscribed for the paper. She had seen it and concluded sensibly, that no well regulated family should be without it.

St. Elizabeth's Church Picnic.

On next Tuesday the 26th, the young ladies of St. Elizabeth Catholic church will give a picnic at Island Park, and from the arrangements already made there is every promise of a very good time. The music will be good and the dinner will be better, as everyone who knows the abilities of the young ladies of that congregation in a culinary direction will at once admit. In the evening the scene of festivities will be transferred to the opera house where those who desire can enjoy themselves with music and dancing. The success that has attended the efforts of these ladies heretofore will be [illegible] guarantee that all that is [illegible]

BRADFORD.

Our man is again abroad among the people over the hill.—What he sees and hears as the people come and go.—Sights, scenes and incidents as they are transpiring in the city of oil.

The condition of the oil trade has remained absolutely unchanged so far as any material fluctuations go, but a comparison of the table for this week with that of last will show prices somewhat lower but none the less firm. During the week a few of the weakest brokers have been compelled to seek shelter, and in a few instances have not found it in time to keep the sheriff from interfering with their business.

The fluctuations of the week up to the close of the market to-day will be shown by the following table:

	Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing.
Thurs	1.18	1.20⅝	1.18	1.19⅝
Fri	1.19⅞	1.20	1.17⅞	1.20
Sat	1.18	1.19⅞	1.17⅞	[illegible]
Mon.	1.18	1.19½	1.16⅝	1.16⅝
Tues	1.16⅝	1.17⅝	1.13½	1.14
Wed	1.14	1.16½	1.13⅝	1.15⅜

A bid for the contract of building the Producers Petroleum Exchange for $33,000 will be accepted when bonds for the proper completion of the work in a given time have been tendered and accepted.

Some very damaging reports have been received from the dance hall on the Quintuple hill and should be investigated and the guilty parties brought to punishment or the place should be closed until assurance of its being properly conducted was given.

Rev. John A. Copeland, of Friendship, N. Y., who for three years ministered to the Methodist congregation in this city, was visiting here Wednesday, and from the fact that he wore Grand Army buttons it may be presumed that he was on business pertaining to the order.

To day the principal topic of conversation has been the coming of Nathan's circus to-morrow. All spring and summer the weather has been so bad that no entertainment of this kind could get an audience, and now the fondest hopes are being indulged that we may have a clear day and return to our old-time interest and participation in attendance on the circus.

Since the removal of the oil exchange to Boylson street there is a marked falling off in the crowd that for so long has been wont to congregate in front of the building where the fickle goddess has so long ruled. The merchants who have stores in the building and who pay high rates of rent are very much dissatisfied at the falling off in trade and will make a kick when quarterday comes around.

The copy of Walt. Whitman's "Leaves of Grass," which I hear has caused considerable gossip in your town, was loaned to the woman by an ancient blonde citizen of this city. It should not cause any trouble, as the man who owns it is too old to have any sinister motives, being a grandfather, and having celebrated his silver wedding last fall. It is not likely that the borrower will be injured by it.

Nathan's circus, which by the way manifests unusual modesty in that they only advertise one ring and do not claim to be the largest aggregation of living curiosities in the world, will be with us on Thursday, and of course you and all the rest of our country cousins will be here. The extreme and unusual modesty of the advertisements of this show will, of themselves make people curious to go to see what it is.

Plans and specifications for the new car works to be erected in the fifth ward have been submitted and this feature of our citys' prosperity is now fully assured, as the buildings to be erected will be completed before next winter's snow is seen. The excavation has been commenced, and with the knowledge our people have of the way the Rochester & Pittsburg do their work, they have no fear that the shops will be running in full blast by the ides of November.

The local papers are now agreed on the subject of a great decline in stocks of crude and that the surplus is being drawn upon at the rate of about five thousand barrels per day. If this is true, and there seems now to be little reason to doubt it, the millennium for which the producers have looked so many years is about to dawn at last and an era of prices be again inaugurated, that has not been known since the development in earnest, of McKean county commenced. It is pleasant to contemplate whether it it is ever realized or not.

The work of clearing off the old Tuna Valley House lot, preparatory to erecting the new city building has been commenced and this corner that has so long stood vacant, with nothing to relieve the barren monotony of it except the circus bills which from time to time adorned the high hemlock wall that inclosed it, now presents an animated appearance, and will soon again loom up with a building thereon that will be a credit to the city, a great source of convenience to the municipal officers and a good fat job to Geo. S. Stewart the contractor.

The old Gem Theatre is to be reopened on the second of July by M. J. Cain, proprietor, with John L. Cain manager. A good deal has been said in the past against this place of amusement, and I wonder sometimes whether it would not be better to have it than to be without some place of amusement where it did not take two days wages for one evenings' pastime. It is true, there have been some things said about the Gem that were not creditable to the place or the management, but this is certain, that when it was in full blast it prevented much rowdyism on the streets, by keeping the people inside, and if the management could stand it the rest of the town ought to.

The contest among the torpedo men for the trade, now that there is left to them a fair field and no favor has been continually waxing hotter until now it is an open and uncompromising warfare, a war that must eventually drive many of the weaker parties to the wall. But there are some that will be able to to resist even the great Roberts concern, and of these I might appropriately mention the Rock Glycerine Company, which for a number of years has successfully competed with all opposition, and to-day stands at the head of the business in the northern oil field. This company, of which R. A. Demsey is agent and manager, manufactures the purest nitro-glycerine sold in the field, and the best shells and cans to be found in the market. They have always traded squarely and by so doing have made their company the most formidable rival that the monopoly has in the field to-day, and one that must continue to divide the best part of the trade with them.

I met Tom. Rainey the other day, and a look at him and a subsequent conversation, more forcibly reminded me of the wreck that it is possible for a man to make of himself than anything I have ever seen. Within my memory and yours the name of T. T. Rainey appearing on the bill of a show company, was [illegible] hear him plead for a few cents to get something to appease his terrible appetite for drink, or to buy a cheap repast it causes a feeling of sadness and makes one think that somehow or other things have not been evenly distributed in this cold world. I can remember when Rainey's appearance behind the footlights was sure to be greeted with rounds of applause, and men and women vied with each other in extending to him the most cordial greetings. Now there are none so poor as to do him reverence.

I was mistaken when I said a week or two ago that R. G. Cochran was a native of Canada. I learn since that he was born and brought up at or near Cochranton in Crawford county this state. The reason of my falling into this error was the fact that the first time I met him was in Petrolia, Canada, and from his actions, I took him to be a native, but I know this should not have established his nativity in my mind so fixedly, for since his return from Mexico he may have behaved like a Mexican, but that would not make him a "greaser." Mr. Cochran has a decided lead in the race for the treasurer nomination on the democratic ticket, and for myself I would just as soon see him beaten as any other man in the party. The democratic candidate will be a man from the oil producing end of the county, at least that is the decision of the people of that political faith over here, and with that as an admitted fact they have perhaps no man among them that could poll a larger vote than Robert G. Cochran.

The alleged detective, H. J. Wilmouth, has again made a blunder in what was intended to be presented to the people as a shrewd piece of detective work, and all the plans laid to entrap a most dangerous criminal, as he would have people think, have come to naught. The case is about this. A movement was set on foot some time since among the clerks and salesmen of the city, looking to the earlier closing of the stores in which they are employed, and it seems that nearly all the employers acceded to the arrangement but one man, Rosenberg, of the bazar, standing out against the plan, preferring to close his store when it suited him best to do so. This of course was his right to do, however unpopular it might be among the clerks. Now some one wrote Rosenberg a letter denouncing him for the course he was taking, and it appeared to him that there was a threat of injury to his property hidden in the letter. Wilmouth saw the letter, and with the deep cunning possessed only by detectives, he at once arrived at the conclusion that one Robert McLaren was the author of the incendiary epistle and a warrant was issued for his arrest. An examination was had before Alderman Sherwood on Monday, when the entire lack of any evidence against the young man coupled with his previous well-known good character at once secured his acquittal. It would seem that in the case of this man it is not always, or in fact often true that detectives detect.

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Bradford, Pa., June 20, 1883.

GREENEWALD'S, Boys Clothing. 124 Main St., Bradford, Pa.

Important If True.

Rev. P. J. Slattery of Clarion county changed cars here yesterday afternoon.—Oil City *Derrick.*

The ordinary reader might not, and perhaps would not at a glance attach that degree of importance to the above item of news which the case demands, and which to do the reverend gentleman justice is due to him. That the Rev. P. J. Slattery changed cars in Oil City, is certainly very creditable to the village whose watchful journal gives publication to the fact, but to the Rev. P. J. the matter is of far greater significance. That he did not change his religious belief is a credit to him and will always be a comfort to his friends and the public generally. Again, he might have changed his name, which would have looked as if the Rev. was not as straight as he should be and might have given rise to suspicions which in the end would have tended to bring not only the reverend gentleman, but all his congregation and the profession which he adorns into disrepute. Or suppose that when requested to do so, he had refused to change cars, absolutely refused to change cars, while he held the company's receipt for his passage (clergyman's rates) from one point on their line to another. It is simply appalling to contemplate the complication of injurious circumstances that have been so happily avoided by the Rev. P. J. complying with the request of the company, and promptly changing cars at Oil City. Then again what might have been the consequences if the Rev. Slatterly had attempted, over the advice of his friends and in spite of the tears and protestations of his flock to change his shirt. But this is altogether to delicate a subject for calm contemplation and we will shift it back upon the *Derrick.*

GREENEWALD'S, leading Hatters, newest styles, 124 Main St., Bradford, Pa.

He is Ready for the Fourth.

Ed Goss, the confectioner and baker, has made every arrangement at his place of business on Mechanic street to accommodate his patrons and the public on the coming Fourth of July. He will serve ice cream, cake, sandwiches of all kinds, and, in fact, anything and everything that can be found in the best restaurants in the cities. Fireworks have been made a specialty by Mr. Goss, and at his place will be found the only full line of these goods.

In candies and general confectionery the stock is complete and of the finest and most delicate flavors, and such as cannot be found elsewhere in the neighborhood. Don't forget the place, if it is a little out of the way, for the pleasant and cosy ice cream parlor will alone well repay you for your trouble in hunting it up.

GREENEWALD'S, Fine Furnishing Goods, 124 Main St., Bradford.

SPECIAL RAILROAD RATES.

Half Fare Tickets on the B. N. Y. & P. the 3d, 4th and 5th of July.

The following communication sufficiently explains itself:

BUFFALO, NEW YORK & PHILA. R. R. CO.
Smethport, Pa., June 20, 1883.

EDITOR MINER.—Our road will sell ROUND TRIP tickets over the entire line July 3d, 4th and 5th at the regular fare one way.
Yours truly,
J. F. McCLURE.

GREENEWALD'S METHODS: Money refunded. No misrepresentation. Opposite Riddell House, Bradford, Pa.

The Best in the Country.

It is well for the ladies of Smethport and vicinity, that they have, right at home, a Millinery establishment so well and intelligently conducted as Mrs. [illegible] She understands exactly what the ladies want and what is of equal [illegible]

CLERMONT.

A Fresh Bundle of News Picked up and Forwarded by Our Man on the Mountain.

If it keeps on raining we shall have a wet spell.

Mrs. S. Stall, of Coleville, is visiting at Mr. L. Steinhauer's.

There was a pleasant dance at Brewer's hall on Friday evening last.

Mart. Armstrong and Ervin Kerns, of Smethport, were in town a few minutes on Tuesday.

Mis Mary Mullin of Smethport, was a guest of her sister, Miss Maggie Mullin, over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Tate left on Wednesday morning for a short visit to Buffalo, Niagara Falls and other points of interest.

Supt. Tate had a train chartered and a large force of men employed drawing logs from Wernwag to the Company's mill on Sunday.

Mr. H. W. Horner was in town Tuesday. "Hat" is now located at Johnsonburg, where he is doing a lively trade in the meat business.

Several of the Clermont boys have purchased telegraph instrument and are now putting up a line between J. H. Townsend's store and several houses in the "patch."

The Clermont and Norwich base ball nines crossed bats on the former's ground on Saturday last, which resulted in a score of 49 for the Clermonts and 8 for the Norwichites.

John Heitman has sold his interest in the old homestead to Jacob Hafner. Jacob owns two as good farms as can be found anywhere in this section of McKean county.

J. B. Flenner, who drives a team for the Coal Company, had the misfortune to break his arm one day last week. Dr. A. K. Corbin reduced the fracture and he is doing finely.

Our base ball club has finally concluded to accept the challenge from the Smethport club and will go down and play them a friendly game on July 4th. They also expect to play the Wilcox club next week.

A valuable cow has strayed from the premises of Mr. S. B. Holcomb. A description will be found in another column, and any information which will lead to her recovery will be very gratefully received by him.

The coal mines at Williamsville, now known as Rasselas, Elk Co., on the extension of the N. Y. L. E. & W. R'y, will be reopened next week. Jim. Ackard has moved his family there and will take charge of a large boarding house.

B. S. H.

Clermont, Pa. June 20, 1883.

GREENEWALD'S, Largest Clothing Display, 124 Main St., Bradford.

Making Dukes a Hero.

There seems to be something inscrutable and past finding out in the make-up of womankind. If one of their own sex strays from the path of rectitude, she is at once shunned by every virtuous woman, and the doors of respectable society is forever closed against her. But let a man figure prominently in any scandalous affair in which a woman has been wronged, her credulity imposed upon, and her confidence abused—let it become generally known that a man is a sort of gentlemanly rake—and he will find a warmer place in the average female breast than is open to men who subscribe to the code of morals. A striking illustration of this peculiarity of womankind comes from Uniontown the scene of the famous Nutt-Dukes tragedy. Dukes was a man who shunned the haunts of men, but basked in the society of women. He had pleasing manners, but was anything but handsome. He was a gross fellow, short, fleshy and with a hitch in his leg. He had a clean shaven face, full and round, and with a sort of sanctimonious expression. He had a glib tongue and insinuated himself in the good graces of many ladies. In short, although not particularly prepossessing in appearance, Dukes was what is commonly known as a lady's man. Among others he succeeded in captivating Miss Nutt. The details of what followed are too fresh in the public mind to need recounting at this time. The girl's affections were won, her confidence abused, her ruin affected, her character traduced and vilified in a shameful manner and her father cruelly shot for seeking to vindicate the good name of his family and to save his daughter from further disgrace. Now comes the astonishing part of the story so far as womankind is concerned. A correspondent writes the Philadelphia *Press* that great consternation prevails in respectable female circles in and about Uniontown in consequence of the examination of Duke's effects. It is whispered that among his private correspondence numbers of letters from respectable ladies in and about Uniontown have been found. "His effects," says the correspondence, "are said to be freighted with tender missives, showing many conquests and innumerable amours. Ever since his dastardly conduct toward Miss Nutt, and his acquittal for murder, respectable ladies have received his attentions and quarreled with each other for his addresses or his passions." These females are now all of a tremor for fear their tender expressions of sympathy and friendship will be brought to the public gaze during the progress of the trial. Think of a self-respecting woman having friendship for or sympathy with that moral monster! One would as soon expect her to embrace a boa-constrictor or rattlesnake as to have any acquaintance with him after the facts were known. Nevertheless, the ruin of Miss Nutt and the murder of her father seem to have been a great card for Dukes in his later conquests.—Buffalo *Advertiser.*

Postal Changes.

On and after July 1, 1883, you can obtain at any money order office postal notes in sums of five dollars and under by paying a fee of three cents. These notes will be made payable to bearer without corresponding advices. They will be payable at any money order office within three months of the date of issue. After the lapse of that time the holder can obtain par value only by applying to the postoffice department at Washington.

On and after July 1, 1883, you can obtain a postal order for as large a sum as $100. The present limit is $50. The fees on and after that date for orders will be as follows:

Not exceeding $10............8 cents
From $10 to $15..............10 cents
From $15 to $30..............[illegible]
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On and after October 1, 1883, letter [illegible]

Jury Commissioners at Work.

To-day E. F. Clark and D. F. Pattison Jury Commissioners, with Sheriff Wilcox met at the arbitration room in the Court House and drew the juries for the September term of court, amounting to one hundred and fifty-six good and true men to serve for the three weeks of the coming term.

Pushing the Work.

John Tracy's store on Main street, which is being built by the Barrett Bros. of Port Allegany, is up and ready to be enclosed and receive the roof. The work is being pushed with great vigor, but this is nothing new for these men, as they are known as among the speediest workmen in their trade in the county.

Kicked by an Ox.

Last week one day as Andrew Perry, who resides some six miles up Marvin creek, was working with or about his oxen one of them resented what he deemed too much familiarity, by kicking Perry in the side, breaking two of his ribs and otherwise wrecking him. Dr. H. L. McCoy was called, set the broken bones, administered such treatment as the case required and left the man comparatively comfortable. There is an opportunity here for a moral, but the man is hurt bad enough and the ox, of course wouldn't understand it.

Our Merchants Don't Want Wool.

It was a somewhat singular sight last week to see several farmers come to town with loads of wool which they wished to sell or exchange for necessaries, and, after visiting all the merchants of the place, have to turn their horses' heads in the direction of other villages to find a market, for the simple reason that not a merchant here would take their production at any price.

There is probably a great text here for a sermon on the subject of building up one's own town, but it is a subject that has been preached from so often that it would be worse than a useless waste of time to repeat it. Suffice it to say that the merchants of Port Allegany and Eldred are not so disposed to stand in their own light in these things, but are ready to take the farm products of these people when they have been refused here.

The Pennsylvania Tornado.

The tornado which passed over the middle portion of this State last week is described by the Troy *Gazette* as follows: As the storm passed over Oak Hill, north of Troy, it assumed the form of a tornado and moved a barn of A. W. Leonard about on its foundation. Just below stood the large barn of I. C. Reed. The wind twisted the building into a shapeless mass of ruins, laying it flat on the ground. On William Young's place it uprooted or overturned some trees, and at Lafayette Leonard's it lifted the roof off his barn and deposited it in a meadow some rods away. Climbing a range of Pisgah mountains it passed over to the east, upsetting trees and fences, and at the old Dickenson mill blew the smoke stack down and tore the roof off a building near by, besides breaking down trees. Farther south the floods descended so copiously that fields were channeled with gullies, roads washed out, and at East Troy the damage was very considerable to land, bridges, fences, growing crops, etc. Some meadows were nearly ruined, and Mud creek and Sugar creek were up to rafting pitch. The fences washed away and fields channelled will make the loss rise to $2,000. It was the heaviest rain known in years in that locality and came down in bucketsful.

Church Services.

The subject of the sermon at the M. E. church next Sunday evening will be "Theatre and Circus-going." Morning services as usual.

At St. Lukes' Episcopal church at 8 o'clock in the morning Holy Communion, at 10:30 a. m. and 8 p. m. the usual services of the day.

Refrigerators.

L. W. Mason has in stock a number of refrigerators of various sizes and prices, and all cheaper than the same can be bought elsewhere in the county. A refrigerator is a necessity if you wish to preserve perishable articles of food fresh and sweet in warm weather, and before buying call at Mason's and be convinced that he has just what you want and will let you have it at a low figure.

Card of Thanks.

To the Editor of the MINER.

Will you allow me a small space in your paper to express my thanks to my friends in Smethport, Kane and other parts of McKean county for many favors, that will never be forgotten.

R. E. LOOKER.

Kane, Pa., June 21, 1883.

A Happy Family

Circle is the greatest blessing of our civilization, but such a thing is not possible when disease and death lurk on the threshold. One of the most important matters to be attended to, is that the Liver and Kidneys are in a healthy condition. More trouble arises from derangement of these organs than from any other cause, often resulting in Diabetes, Bright's Disease, and other difficulties that are generally counted incurable. Parmelee's Dyspepsia, Diabetes, Kidney and Liver Cure will prevent and cure all these difficulties with great certainty. Large bottles $1. Sold by A. B. Armstrong and E. F. Richmond & Son.

Cow Lost.

A dark-colored muley cow, blind in one eye; left the premises of S. B. Holcomb, Clermont, Pa., on Saturday, June 9. A liberal reward will be paid for her return or any information concerning her. 1t.

Splendid Stock of Millinery.

Miss E. Carson, with long experience, has found that it is not an immense stock of cheap goods that takes the trade, but an assortment of that class that will be demanded by her customers, that will give satisfaction both in quality and price and prove to be exactly what they are represented to be. This she has, and a finer stock never was seen in this place. Her goods are all new, of the finest quality, and will be found to be exactly what they are represented.

Must be Settled.

All accounts due me must be paid on or before July 1, 1883, or they will be placed in proper hands for collection.

C. M. COLEGROVE.

Colegrove, Pa., June 12, 1883.—36-4t.

BRADFORD'S Leading Clothiers, GREENEWALD'S, 124 Main St., invite inspection of their large and elegant stock of Mens and Boys clothing. Prices are always correct, goods always reliable.

Lost.

While at Smethport last week, the undersigned lost or mislaid a large [illegible]

PROFESSIONAL COMPLIMENTS.

AN INTERESTING SHEET.

From the Elk Democrat.

The Smethport MINER came to us last week enlarged to a nine column paper. Bro. Barbour gets up an interesting sheet.

AN ATTRACTIVE PAPER.

From the Wellsboro Gazette.

The McKean county MINER has been enlarged and given a new dress. With good press work it makes an attractive looking paper.

PURELY HOME AND LOCAL PAPER.

From the Mountain American.

The McKean County MINER, published at Smethport this State by H. F. Barbour, comes to us this week enlarged to nine columns with a corresponding increase in the length of the same. The MINER is a purely home and local paper neatly printed and its editor advocates true republican principles. In its last weeks columns the editor states that McKean county has never had a candidate on the State ticket and brings forward the name of Col. J. A. Ege, of Bradford and urges his nomination for State treasurer.

THE BEST IN THE STATE.

From the Emporium Independent.

The McKean MINER has been enlarged the otherwise improved in looks. Under the management of Mr. Barbour, the MINER has been made one of the best weeklies in the State.

A WIDE AWAKE JOURNAL.

From the Renovo Record.

The McKean MINER reached us last week enlarged to a thirty-six column newspaper. The MINER is a wide-awake journal, has an industrious and cultured gentleman to edit it in the person of H. F. Barbour, and enjoys a splendid advertising patronage.

MUCH IMPROVED IN APPEARANCE.

From the Butler Citizen.

The McKean County MINER, Smethport, Pa., comes to us enlarged to nine columns and much improved in appearance. We cheerfully place the MINER on our exchange list and wish it every success.

HIGHLY VALUED EXCHANGE.

From the Elk Advocate.

Our old time and highly valued exchange from McKean county, the MINER, came to our sanctum last week enlarged to nine columns to the page, and as smiling as an old cat with her first litter of kittens. May its shadow never grow less.

WANT YOU BROTHER [illegible]

From the Huntingdon Journal.

We have received a postal card from the editor of the McKean County MINER asking for an exchange with the handsomest and best paper in the county. The MINER has just been enlarged and otherwise beautified, and the number before us shows every sign of prosperity. Bro. Barbour we have booked you for an x.

NEATEST JOURNAL IN THE STATE.

From the Port Allegany Reporter.

The Smethport MINER has been enlarged to a nine column paper and otherwise greatly improved. We congratulate brother Barbour on this indication of prosperity of the MINER, which is one of the neatest journals in the State.

DESERVES PROSPERITY.

From the Bradford Reporter.

The McKean county MINER comes out with a handsome new heading, and enlarged a column in width and considerably in length. The MINER is a good paper and deserves its prosperity.

INTERESTING AND FEARLESS.

From the Olean Mirror.

The Smethport MINER appeared last week greatly enlarged and improved. It is a go ahead, lively home paper, interesting and fearless, and we congratulate its publisher upon his prosperity.

HAD TO HAVE NEW CLOTHES.

From the Bradford Sunday Mail.

The Smethport MINER has been enlarged and arrayed in a spick and span new dress. It grew out of its old clothes and had to have new ones. Such little events are usually to be accepted as evidence of prosperity, when they transpire in newspaper offices, and it is gratifying to note that friend Barbour is regaining the old position once held by him and the MINER. May they both never stop waving.

Hairdressing.

Switches, curls, puffs, frizzes, waves, etc., made in the best of style. Special attention given to cleaning and dressing ladies' hair. Mrs. A. Sturdveint and Mary L. McIntyre, corner King and Union streets, Smethport, Pa. 22-1y

Excelsior Poultry Yards.

Henry Hering, proprietor of the Excelsior Poultry Yards, Smethport, Pa., will furnish eggs for hatching, from No. 1 stock, at $2.00 for 13 eggs, or $3.00 for 26 eggs. His stock embraces the following varieties: Plymouth Rocks, Buff Cochins, Light Brahmas, Wyandottes, Black and Silver Spangled Hamburgs, White Rose Comb and Brown Single Comb Leghorns, Black Javas. Satisfaction guaranteed.

Driven Well Notice.

Owners and users of driven wells can obtain a license by applying at once to our agent, W. T. Tuttle, at the St. James Hotel, Bradford, Pa. Otherwise suit will be brought in United States Court without further notice.

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For Sale.

I have two first class lumber wagons, which I can sell very cheap. Any one needing a wagon of that kind cannot find a better opportunity for a bargain.

M. A. SPRAGUE.

APRIL 5, 1883-tf.

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The House, Blacksmith, wagon and carriage shop on Water street, in this borough. Terms easy. Apply at once at JOHN DEGEL's Marble works.—16tf

$20 goes if Centaurine fails to help or cure the worst cases of corks, scratches, sore necks or wounds of any kind on horse or man. Sold by E. F. Richmond & Son. Price 30 cts.

Dr. Day's Liniment helped my horse's lameness at once; other kinds had failed.

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THE COUNTRY OVER.

[illegible] has been selected by a com[illegible] [illegible] as the capital of Dakota.

Amasa Stone, the wealthy Clevelander who recently committed suicide, left an estate worth $1,500,000.

A movement is on foot for a grand assemblage of Federal and Confederate veterans, on the battlefield of Shiloh in May next.

By a vote of thirteen to eleven the board of overseers of Harvard college refused to confer the degree of LL. D. upon Governor Butler.

Rev. John Browne, D. D., of Newburg, N. Y., is declared to be the oldest Mason in the United States, having been made a member of a Newburg lodge on June 16, 1817, sixty-six years ago.

In the United States circuit court at Kansas City, Mo., Roscoe Conkling made the closing argument in a case testing the constitutionality of the statute prohibiting the sale of oleomargarine in Missouri.

A crowd of seventy-five men forced their way into the jail at Winterset, Iowa, took out John Hammer, imprisoned on the charge of murdering a wood sawyer for his money, and hung him to a tree. It was the third attempt that had been made to lynch Hammer.

The distribution of medals among the survivors of the recent campaign in Egypt has been completed. The total number of medals issued is 44,000, and it required a ton and a half of silver to make them. They have all been engraved with the names of the recipients by workmen employed in the Royal Arsenal at Woolwich, and sent thence to all parts of the world. In addition to actual soldiers and sailors, the captains of all the merchant ships employed as transports during the campaign, many other persons who rendered assistance of one sort or another and numerous relatives of deceased soldiers have received the medals.

There has always been an ill feeling between the general of the army and the secretary of war. Their powers never have been clearly defined. Gen. Sherman has quarreled with every secretary of war since he came to Washington. No doubt he was right, for Sherman is always right, and he is a great big man, and please don't forget it. I ought to say, however, that Mr. Lincoln and Gen. Sherman have had very little trouble. In Mr. Lincoln's absence during the past fortnight Gen. Sherman has been acting secretary of war. A day or two ago a friend asked Sherman how he was getting on. "Oh," said Gen. Sherman, quick as lightening. "I am getting along splendidly. I am now acting secretary of war, and for the first time since I came to Washington, there is a perfect harmony between the general of the army and the secretary of war."

The national saengerfest is to be held at Buffalo in July. The organization which is to give the festival, the North American saengerbund, is a national organization, embracing in its membership the leading German singing societies throughout the country. Every two years these gatherings are held in one of the leading cities. The primary object of these saengerfests is to cultivate music written for male voices. The coming festival will be the twenty-third of its kind thus far held. Dr. Damrosch has been engaged, and will conduct a New York orchestra of 101 musicians. The "Fest" will open on Monday evening, July 16, with a "Reception" concert, in which some five hundred Buffalo singers will participate. The combined chorus expected to attend will probably number 2,000 voices. A stately music hall is being built in the very heart of the city; the building is not merely a temporary structure, but it is constructed of brick, stone and iron, and will cost $150,000. The seating capacity will be 8,500. The building will be capable of being altered for theatrical engagements, and will be ready for that purpose in December.

A REMINISCENCE.

Tribulations of a Lecturer—Bob Burdett's Experience with Street Boys.

I remember so well the first time I ever solemnly and forever left the platform. It was on the 11 or 12th of May, at Antwerp, Ohio. The weather was warm. The hard-backed bugs and the big blundering beetles that fly by night were abundant and offensive. The open windows of the hall gave the boys on the street, as they patrolled their noisy beats, abundant opportunity to chaff the lecturer, whose gigantic form they could plainly see, but whose eloquent remarks they could but dimly hear and illy comprehend.

As a general thing, I have observed that when the lecturer on the platform and the boys in the street are addressing one audience at the same time, the audience seems to be most profoundly interested in the remarks of the boys. I thought, and I still think, it is very foolish for an audience to pay fifty cents a head to hear me, and then sit and listen to the boys whom they might have heard for nothing. But that is the way an audience has, anyhow. So that night, I did not care for the boys. I would not permit the thinking man to go out and entreat the boys roughly and compel them to "shut up their heads," as he wished to do, not even when they mocked me, and in shrill falsetto entreated me to "give them a rest," [illegible] they "heard enough of that," and besought me, with illy dissembled concern, not to "bite off more than I could chew." I only smiled pleasantly and said, "Nay, hinder them not. Let them shout. I was once a boy myself." And I smiled again and the tears stood in my eyes.

But inwardly I was a ravening wolf, with a linen collar and two rows of [illegible].

On my way to the hotel I overtook a boy who was still yelling and howling at me, for he wist not that the lecture was over.

And my anger got fierce and I got hold upon him, and smote him once, and encompassed him round with a piece of barrel hoop, and [illegible], insomuch that he wept bitterly, and was sore astonished, and swore that he would make full report of these things unto the mother that bare him, yea even unto his big brother, and to the father of his loins.

But I heeded him not, neither was I moved with compassion nor yet stricken with fear, for I wist that his mother lived away on the other side of the river, and his big brother was not and never had been, and his father was a night watchman, and therefore at that time of night sound asleep in some secluded doorway. Moreover I was going away on the 4 A. M. train. Wherefore, I smote him once again, and said:

"If it be that another lecturer cometh this way, will it seem fittin' unto thee to sit on the curbstone and make merry with thy friends, even while he speaketh words unto the multitude?"

And he lifted up his voice, and wept bitterly, and swore unto me saying: "As my soul liveth, hope I may die if I do."

And I lift up on him. And it came to pass that when he was gone away [illegible] a low shot, that he called aloud, and wagged his tongue against me, and mocked me and called "Smarty" and cast stones after me and followed me even unto the inn, and dared me half way, and reviled me because I would not, saying: "Ho! Fraid cat! Fraid cat!" And I sought to slay him but could not, for he was marvelous swift on foot, and he was like unto the children of Benjamin, and "could sling stones at a hair breath, and not miss."—Burlington *Hawkeye*.

Mr. W. H. Medlam, 616 Boas street, Harrisburg, Pa., says: "Brown's Iron Bitters speedily cured me of nervousness and stomach troubles."

Only a Slight Mistake.

One of those mistakes that are liable to occur in the best regulated families, made quite a laugh in a West side residence a few days ago. The lady of the house had been grumbling about a corn on her foot for months, and her husband had tried in vain to get her to consent to have a regularly ordained "corn dentist" come up and remove it, but she was nervous about having a horrid man touch her bare foot, and she suffered along until Tuesday, when, in a moment of agony, she told the old man to send up his corn dentist as quick as he had a mind to. He went down to his office and ordered the corn man to go up. He had already ordered a plumber to go to the house and mend some gas fixtures that had sprung a leak, and the plumber got there first. The lady gave orders that if a man called with some corn tools, to send him up to her room. The plumber rung the bell; and on being asked, the girl told him to go up to the lady's room, and the man went up. He had a roll of cloth with tools in it, and as he put it down on the floor to unroll the tools, the lady took off her slipper, and removed her stocking, and placed her foot on a horseback. She looked at the plumber's tools on the floor and almost fainted. There was a big pair of pincers, two files and a lot of iron things that looked big enough to remove the corns from an elephant. The man was sorting out the tools and didn't notice the woman's fright until she asked:

"Is this going to hurt much? If it is I had rather suffer the annoyance."

"O, no," said the man, looked up at the gas bracket by the window, which had a rag around the joint which leaked. "I can screw the cap onto the joint, so the gas can not escape," and seeing the lady's bare foot so near him, he opened his eyes in wonder, and blushed like a girl. She looked at him and wondered why he did not go to work on her foot, and he looked as little like the way she supposed a corn doctor would look as possible. Taking up a big pair of pinchers, and taking a match, to light a small candle which he carried, to test leaky gas fixtures, he said:

"Where does it seem to be the worst?"

"There," says the little woman, bending over and placing her finger on the next to the little toe. "Right between those two toes. It is a soft corn and sometimes makes me wild. Now, do be careful, won't you," as the man dropped his pincers and stood back as though he had been struck by lightning. Then he laughed out loud and said:

"Madame, I have been in the plumbing business twenty-two years, but this is the first time I was ever called upon to repair a broken joint on a woman's toe. Excuse me," and he began to roll up his tools.

"Heavens and earth!" said the woman, as she tried to put on her stocking wrong end first, and blushing so she looked as pretty as though she never had a corn, "I thought you was a corn doctor. There is the gas fixture you are to putty up," and she went out of the room in her stocking feet to blow up the girl for sending a plumber to plumb a corn. The corn doctor soon arrived and did his work, and when he and the plumber went out together they were having a great laugh as they turned the corner. When she tells her husband to send up a man to do any work about the house now, she stipulates he shall not send a plumber whatever he does.—Peck's Sun.

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"Will you please repeat that remark, Mr. Mathison?"

Turning so as to look your representative squarely in the face, the head of the house of Seren Mathison & Co., Pharmacists, No. [illegible] State street, Marble Block, Chicago, replied: "Yes, sir, with pleasure. My remark was that we consider PARKER'S GINGER TONIC, now called PARKER'S TONIC, the best article of its kind in the market. Our sales for the last six month tell the whole story and settle the question. The Tonic, like a good dinner, carries its own recommendation with it. It's bound to sweep the West like a prairie on fire. In cases of rheumatism, dyspepsia and liver and kidney troubles it secures successes and wins friends every day."

Hiscox & Co. beg to call public attention to the fact that hereafter PARKER'S GINGER TONIC will be advertised and sold simply under the name of PARKER'S TONIC. We make this change for the reason that unprincipled dealers are constantly deceiving their customers by substituting [illegible] name of ginger [illegible]

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Hostetter's Stomach Bitters meets the requirements of the rational medical philosophy which at present prevails. It is a perfectly pure vegetable remedy, embracing the three important properties of a preventative, a tonic and an alterative. It fortifies the body against disease, invigorates and revitalizes the torpid stomach and liver, and effects a salutary change in the entire system.
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Williamsport, Penn'a, Feb'y [illegible], 18[illegible].

All persons are hereby cautioned against acting upon the unsold lands of this estate without proper authority therefor. An unauthorized entry upon the lands of the estate, by any person, for any purpose, will make such person or persons liable to prosecution for trespass.

Persons who have bought or leased lands of this estate have deeds, contracts, or leases. The deeds give exact descriptions of the lands to which they refer, and the contracts and leases have on them drafts which show their location. All claims to rights or privileges on lands of this estate, unaccompanied by such evidence are without foundation, and will not be recognized.

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L'v Northw'd	STATIONS.	L'v Southw'd
[illegible]	Larrabee	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	Clermont	[illegible]

OLEAN, BRADFORD & WARREN DIVISION.

EASTWARD.

STATIONS.	a.m.	a.m.	p.m.	p.m.
Bradford	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Tarport	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Babcock Mills	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Derrick	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Gilmore	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Red Rock	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
State Line	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Knapps Creek	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Rock City	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Four Mile	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Olean	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Bolivar	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Richburg	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

WESTWARD.

STATIONS.	a.m.	a.m.	p.m.	p.m.
Richburg	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Bolivar	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Olean	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Four Mile	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Rock City	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Knapps Creek	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
State Line	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Red Rock	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Gilmore	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Derrick	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Babcock Mills	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Tarport	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Bradford	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

Sunday trains leave Olean at 10:[illegible] a. m. and [illegible] p. m. arriving at Bradford [illegible] and [illegible] p. m. Leave Bradford 9:15 a. m. and 3 [illegible] p. m. arriving at Olean 11:[illegible] a.m. and [illegible] p. m.

KENDALL & ELDRED DIVISION.

Eastward	STATIONS.	WESTWARD
[illegible]	Richburg	[illegible]
[illegible]	Bolivar	[illegible]
[illegible]	Eldred	[illegible]
[illegible]	Prentissvale	[illegible]
[illegible]	Duke Centre	[illegible]
[illegible]	Rixford	[illegible]
[illegible]	Summit City	[illegible]
[illegible]	Dallas	[illegible]
[illegible]	Sawyer	[illegible]
[illegible]	Lafferty	[illegible]
[illegible]	Tarport	[illegible]
[illegible]	Bradford	[illegible]

Sunday train leaves Eldred [illegible] a.m. arriving at Bradford [illegible]. Leave Bradford [illegible] p.m. arriving at Eldred [illegible].

BRADFORD & KINZUA DIVISION.

Eastward	STATIONS.	WESTWARD
[illegible]	Bradford	[illegible]
[illegible]	Degolia	[illegible]
[illegible]	Custer City	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	Kinzua	[illegible]

[illegible]

BRADFORD, BORDELL & KINZUA RAILROAD.

[illegible]

COUDERSPORT & PORT ALLEGANY RAILROAD.

[illegible]

ROCHESTER & PITTSBURGH R. R.

[illegible]